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OPTIMISM SWEEPS WASHINGTON AS CAPITAL FEELS FOCH'S GREAT BLOW IS NEAR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Events on the western battle front are shaping themselves, officers here believe, not only for defeat of the German drive, but for a counter-offensive by Gen. Foch's armies that may open the road to an Allied military victory.

A wave of optimism swept today over not only American officials, but the military men of the Allied missions in Washington. Some of them think it will be some days yet before Gen. Foch can complete his troop dispositions for a great thrust at the enemy, but others look for word that he has struck at any time.

The news from the battle front was distinctly cheering. The British lines in the hard-stricken Flanders front were holding firmly. French reinforcements had arrived there, making practically certain that the German drive toward the channel ports from that direction has been defeated.

At the same time, official announcement came from Rome that Italian troops were already pouring into France to share in the crucial struggle there. This added to the optimism, for it means that the fighting men of France, Italy, Great Britain, America, Belgium, Portugal and the Russian units are being massed under one leader for a mighty blow when the time comes.

From reports of the battle progress, officers pointed to the appearance of French reinforcements in the northern sector of the Flanders line as indicating more than a defensive measure. The troops must have faced hard days of marching to reach their post, but it was said that had the movement been only to back up the British lines, it would have been more logical and quicker for them to have gone into the south, relieving British divisions to support their comrades in Flanders.

Many observers are more inclined to view the French front from Montdidier to the south and east as the logical position from which to launch counter-blows. No one here professes, however, to have been able to fathom Gen. Foch's plans.

There were many indications today of increased pressure toward getting American troops overseas in time to share fully in the battles this summer, upon which may rest the final issue.

Stalled.

HUN HOSTS LOSE "PEP"

Tired by Failure on Canal.

Germans Make no Further Attacks During Night on Flanders Front.

British Re-establish Line West of Robecq; Enemy Uses Poorer Troops.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THEE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, April 19.—Exhaustion by the failure of yesterday's heavy attacks on the Givenchy-La Bassee Canal front, the Germans made no further moves during the night, and on the greater part of the Flanders battle front quiet prevailed this morning.

The British re-established their line west of Robecq, on the southwesterly part of the Lys battle front field, by recapturing groung at Riez du Vinage farm yesterday afternoon.

Kemmel Hill, on the northerly side of the battle area, was still being heavily bombarded this morning, in preparation for fresh assaults by the Germans.

Prisoners admitted it was necessary for the Germans to capture Kemmel Hill without delay. The troops put in for yesterday's unsuccessful attacks were experienced in hill fighting. The Alpine Corps was reinforced by two divisions recruited in the mountainous regions of Southern Germany and supported by Jaegers. The Jaegers suffered severe casualties in their first experience of this kind in Flanders when they stormed Mont de Lille, near Bailleul, three days ago. Some of their battalions lost more than 40 per cent.

ENEMY BRIDGES GONE.

Further attacks northeast of Ypres, against the new front of the Allies, broke down last night, under heavy artillery fire.

The British destroyed bridges thrown across the La Bassee Canal yesterday afternoon by the enemy. They hold the entire waterway in addition to having re-established their line west of Robecq.

The French administered a sharp setback today to the German forces which, since the great push, have been hammering away relentlessly in an attempt to get astride the railroad connecting Amiens with Clermont. The attack was carried out brilliantly. It began at dawn along a front extending about five miles between Thennes and Mailly-Raineval. The French captured several hundred Germans and seized a number of important points which the enemy had occupied.

This ground has been the scene of nearly a dozen fierce encounters since April 4, in which the Germans have used at least fifteen divisions.

Before the French went over the top today the Germans sent over poisonous shells, but did not do much harm. The French artillery preparation was extremely vigorous. Then the infantry went forward in a dense mist, with a fine rain.

OVER KNEES IN MUD.

The ground was in terrible condition. The French went over their knees in the mud, but those veterans of the Somme were not dismayed. On the northern flank they soon carried the commanding heights. Meanwhile, in the center, another wave of infantry entered Senecat wood, where numerous machine-gun emplacements, which defended the approaches to Castel, were reduced and cleared up in most courageous style by grenadiers and riflemen. The outskirts of Castel were reached and the garrison of that town was menaced.

Further south other French units occupied the dominating heights and advanced toward Anchin farm on the road between Ailly-sur Noye and Moreuil. Everywhere the Germans offered the sternest opposition, but nothing could stay the French advance.

When the fighting calmed down, prisoners were still coming in. A number of machine guns fell into the hands of the French. The German casualties were very heavy.

BRITISH PLANES DROP 500 BOMBS ON "FRITZ."

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 18.—The official communication dealing with aviation, issued last evening, says:

"During Wednesday morning there was a slight improvement in the weather, but before mid-day rain and mist again set in. Our airplanes were active throughout the day on the Meteren-Wytschaete front, bombing the enemy troops and harassing them with machine-gun fire. More than 500 bombs were dropped from very low heights.

"There were a few fights early in the day, in the course of which two hostile machines were downed and one was driven down out of control. Four of our machines are missing."

The Situation.

WORST OVER, ENGLAND BUCKS UP, FRENCH ARRIVE, KAISER DOOMED.

First Phase of Great Offensive Ends with Germans Beaten Unless They Advance—Enemy's Onrush Broken by Streams of High Explosive Shells.

BY ARTHUR S. DRAPER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, April 19.—The news from the battle front is the best for the month. Since Tuesday the situation has been steadily improving and today Haig is able to report his lines are intact, that the Germans have stopped their hammering tactics and that the British hold the hills covering the northward advance to the coast.

It is safe to say that the first phase of the battle of Armentieres is petering out. Ludendorff is taking stock of the situation and he is finding that the great thrust for the coast has losses as well as gains.

ENGLAND CONFIDENTLY VIEWS FUTURE.

Great Britain has bucked up. She views the future confidently. She believes her gallant forces have weathered the worst of the hurricane and that death and destruction are what Ludendorff has gained for his investment of 250,000 casualties and gigantic supplies of munitions. He has driven British off hard-earned Passchendaele ridge, he has made a deep indentation to the west of Armentieres, he has captured possibly 50,000 prisoners and a hundred or so guns, and forced the destruction of a large quantity of stores, but his effort for a break through has succeeded no better than Haig's long campaign for Passchendaele ridge, but he fell short of the real objective. Both are so-called "near victories."

COMMUNICATIONS VIA SHELL-TORN AREAS.

Ludendorff's troops are farther from their bases and are forced to run their communications through the barren, shell-torn areas east of Ypres and west of Armentieres. Time is Haig's ally and Ludendorff's great enemy. The French reserves are now where they are most needed and Ludendorff has lost some of the initiative. The Germans are a little nearer the coast, but nothing matters if they are held where they now stand. Ludendorff is beaten unless he advances; Haig wins if he holds. No sane person believes the Germans have not more powerful blows to deal, no observer is so optimistic as to forecast a sudden turning of the tide in favor of the Allies.

BULLETINS

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, April 19.—Thirty American infantrymen, with the same number of French troops, raided the German line on the right bank of the Meuse this morning, inflicting a number of casualties on the enemy.

The Americans found the enemy trenches empty, but saw the bodies of several Germans in the American wire, apparently members of a working party who had been caught in the American barrage. The enemy laid down a counter-barrage soon after the American barrage started, but all the Americans returned safely to their trenches.

ROME, April 19.—British troops operating on the Italian front made a successful raid yesterday in the Asiago Basin, where they inflicted heavy losses on the Austrians and took twenty-two prisoners, says today's War Office report. The artillery fire along the whole front has been only desultory.

PARIS, April 19.—There was no infantry fighting during the course of the day, but there were lively artillery engagements in several sectors, according to the official statement issued by the War Office tonight.

GERARD'S PROPERTY SAFE, SAY GERMANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Threats by the German government to seize the private property of Ambassador Gerard in Berlin were due to misunderstanding, the State Department was advised today by the Spanish Embassy in the German capital.

It is now stated that the German government will respect all diplomatic and consular property.

BRITISH REPULSE A MT. KEMMEL ATTACK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 19.—During the morning there were local German attacks in the Flanders battle area, including one near Mont Kemmel, says Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in France. The correspondent adds that all the attacks were repulsed, and that on the whole the day was quiet.

LUDENDORFF PLANS LONG CAMPAIGN.

The fighting season has just opened and Ludendorff has figured on a long campaign. Rain, sleet and a bitterly cold wind are driving across the northern plains of France, but when the weather changes there is sure to be a resumption of operations on a gigantic scale. In the last great enemy attack on Robecq and Givenchy on a ten-mile stretch, 60,000 bayonets were employed, but the British bent them back, exacting a heavy toll and yielding only a few outpost positions.

The same story comes from the battle front south of Kemmel, where the enemy came on in waves which were broken before reaching the British lines.

From the hills forming the Armentieres amphitheater the British and French guns are pouring high explosives among the enemy forces, a feature Haig emphasized in today's report.

TO TRY FOR MT. KEMMEL, NEXT FOE MOVE.

When the second phase begins it is expected Ludendorff will have brought guns across the Ypres Comines Canal and will try to develop an enfilading fire upon the Mt. Kemmel positions and the enemy will aim at outflanking the Ypres positions.

Meanwhile the British will have an opportunity to strengthen their defenses. The French action southeast of Amiens, though of a local character, was a useful operation. On the Somme front, Arras remains one of the chief enemy objectives and a thrust from the southeast is expected to be one of the early developments. Another probable point of activity is the Montdidier region, where the massing of troops and guns has been going on for several days. Though the situation generally is anxious, it is infinitely better than a week ago.

ALLIES NOW BUILDING UP DEFENSES.

The British losses of territory are, of course, unfortunate, but when a commander throws his troops into the furnace in numbers sufficient to overwhelm his enemy, who, for the moment, can do nothing but attempt a defense against the onslaught, it is inevitable that some results be obtained. But, meanwhile, the Allies are building up their defense and are increasing their supply of men and artillery on the line of battle. When Gen. Foch decides to strike, he will do so with a knowledge of the power which a counter-offensive must have to put the Germans again on the defensive, and he will have organized his forces to exert that power.

Foch's time to strike has not yet arrived. For the moment he is content to give his energies to completing the unity of the Allied forces for the blow which they must deliver in finally crushing the German military power. That his supplies of reserves are rapidly accumulating and he will soon be in position to distribute his armies where they can attack the enemy most effectively.

LITTLE CHANGE IN THREE DAYS IN LINE.

Three successive days have brought such little change in the battle line that the British military situation is beginning to lose its tense anxiety of the past month. Germany's failure to gain her object on the Somme — to drive the wedge between the French and British armies—and her second failure before Ypres, are looked upon by military experts as sufficient evidence that Ludendorff has begun to realize the futility of his enormous sacrifices and must soon abandon the present tactics.

An effective use of reserves might still enable Germany to

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...E DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP.

...AY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., ...locity, 10 miles. Ther-...highest, 83 deg.; lowest, 62 ...ast: Saturday fair, cooler ...ation, moderate westerly ...

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...CITY. Former official of ...d Board here declared that if ...e airplane programme had ...e schedule that the present ...offensive never would have ...urred.

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...ving-picture actress died ...d after she had apparently ...d from injuries, and an in-...e was begun.

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...ERN CALIFORNIA. La-...Park wins garden case gets ...for the sixth time; court ...attorneys' fees now three ...of lot at stake in suits.

...schooner Phyllis reaches ...y being pulled off Point ...ers, where she went ashore ...a fog.

...man who expressed a de-...ence to kiss the Kaiser on ...is given six months in ...and to prepare for the or-...

...Alaska Red Cross workers ...ver an apparent bomb is ...the salvage table; "bomb" ...to be roll of tin foil.

...expert at Santa Monica ...ers with "50-50" bread ...with substitutes for wheat ...

...RIAL EASTERN. Ship ton-...ing U-boat, is statement of ...American Shipbuilding Com-...Destroy submarine menace ...very end.

...York State opens military ...n women and calls for ...ployment of motor cars for ...service.

...ment stocks responsive to ...and display strength. Un-...y weather reports stiffen ...dings.

...GTON. Second Assistant ...eral in Kansas.

Postmaster-General Praeger tells House committee why soldier mail is congested.

House Naval Committee agrees to amendment to Naval Appropriation Bill to bring Marine Corps to 75,000 men.

Senator Borah flays Chamberlain's Espionage Court-martial Bill.

President Wilson cancels Cabinet meeting to confer with Baker about movement of troops to Europe.

President signs bill requiring alien women to register.

FOREIGN. Irish to fight conscription. Men of conflicting politics together in Dublin adopt resolutions declaring their determination to resist.

PACIFIC SLOPE: Forty complaints against Oakland residents on grounds of disloyalty will be investigated by Federal grand jury.

"Red Shirt" Gordon, one of thirteen convicts who escaped from Folsom penitentiary in 1903, thought to have been captured in Chicago.

THE GREAT WAR. Americans raid enemy lines. Inflict casualties along Meuse.

British troops operating on Italian front make successful raid in Asiago Basin.

Foch sweeps on. All efforts of Germans to keep French engaged around Hangard to prevent them from sending reinforcements farther north fail. Battles in Hangard vicinity fierce. Hun hosts losing pep. Exhausted by failure of heavy attacks on Givenchy-La Bassee Canal front, Germans make no further move. Quiet prevails on greater part of Flanders front.

Italian troops dispatched to battle front in France, Premier Orlando announces.

Correspondents at front tell of miserable weather—cold and rain and sleet.

France's losses in war are told. Almost 2,600,000 are killed, wounded or taken prisoners.

NEW MOVE AGAINST MONT KEMMEL LOOMS.

INDICATIONS REPORTED OF ENEMY HAVING MOVED HIS HEAVY GUNS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 19.—There are indications that the Germans will continue their main effort in the Flanders battle, seeking to push northward between Meteren and Wytschaete, Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters wires. By this time, he says, the Germans probably have sent some of their heavy artillery across the Ypres-Comines Canal in the Houthem region, doubtless with the idea of developing an enfilading fire against the British lines near Mont Kemmel.

WINTER PAYS EAST A BELATED VISIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) April 19.—Winter today paid a belated visit into the Southwest and spread snow and falling temperatures from Missouri and Kansas into Texas. It also brought, however, generous rainfall over the Kansas wheat belt.

Rain or snow was reported general in Kansas.

From Official Reports.

HOW OUR MEN HELD FOE A LESSON IN PATRIOTISM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Gen. Pershing's report of the gallant conduct of American engineer troops with the British Fifth Army, in helping check the German advance in the early days of the great offensive reached the War Department late today and was made public by Secretary Baker.

"It will make splendid reading for Americans," said the Secretary.

American losses in the period from March 21 to April 3, during which the engineers consolidated and held a sub-sector of the British lines against repeated assaults were given as two officers killed and three wounded; twenty men killed and fifty-two wounded and forty-five missing. It is believed by the British authorities that all of those reported missing were not captured but that many were separated from their command and are now with other British organizations.

The Day After.

TERRIBLY POUNDED HUNS TRYING TO REORGANIZE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, April 19.—Along the northern battle front at noon today the Germans were still resting on their arms after the bitter defeat which they suffered yesterday in their great drive. Up to that hour they had not recovered sufficiently to make any further threats in this line, and they were rushing the reorganization of their badly-hammered forces.

Each successive report gives further confirmation of the terrific losses sustained by the assaulting infantry during yesterday's sanguinary struggle. Between Givenchy and Fetubert the ground this morning was strewn with German dead, and at many other points on the long front of action excessive casualties were inflicted by the British artillery and machine gun fire which mowed down the unhappy storm troops in countless numbers.

The British machine gunners worked their weapons in many cases until the enemy was only fifty yards away.

There was no chance of missing these point-blank targets. Time and again the enemy line wavered and fell back, unable to withstand the deluge of bullets, and where they succeeded in getting to close quarters they left a heavy trail of dead and dying behind.

In the neighborhood of Robecq many Germans threw away their rifles and swam the canal to the British side to surrender when they could no longer bear up under the stream of machine gun bullets which was sweeping through them.

The British trench mortars, also did great execution, throwing their high explosives into dense enemy ranks at close range.

The German artillery bombardment about Givenchy and from La Bassee northward along the canal yesterday morning perhaps set a new high water mark for intensity. Veterans of many battles declared they had never seen anything like it, although many records have been broken since the offensive began on March 21.

Lessened Tension.

HOLLAND TO DEMOBILIZE PARTLY AT END OF DRIVE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, April 19.—The government must consider partial demobilization of the army as soon as the great offense on the western front is over and the dangers for Holland are lessened, the Finance Minister, Marie W. F. Treub, told the second chamber yesterday, according to newspaper accounts of his speech.

The Minister said this necessity arose from Holland's financial position, which was so serious that very strict measures must be taken.

The Minister suggested a loan of 1,500,000,000 florins to cover all expenditures connected with the war, which already have amounted to more than 1,000,000,000 florins.

HUN TORPEDO BOATS BOMBARD THE COAST.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, April 19.—German torpedo craft bombarded the coast between Dunkirk and Nieuport behind the Allied lines in Flanders yesterday morning, says an official statement from Berlin today.

ENEMY SHIPYARD SEIZED BY PALMER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PENSACOLA (Fla.) April 19.—The plant of the Lutz Shipping Company here was seized today by A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian, and directors for the concern appointed. E. Lutz, head of the company, is interned at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

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More Reinforcements.

ITALIANS TO FRANCE.

Large Forces Soon to West Front.

They will be Fighting with the British, the French and Us Americans.

Announcement Causes Great Enthusiasm at Rome—For Right Wing.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Thursday, April 18 (Delayed.)—Premier Orlando announced in the Chamber of Deputies today that Italian troops would be dispatched to the battle front in France.

The announcement, which was received with a storm of applause, was as follows:

"Italy, which follows with admiration the heroic efforts of the Anglo-French troops on the western front, could not remain absent from the battlefields of France. She wishes to bring to her allies tangible proof of solidarity and very soon the colors of Italian regiments will fly over the fields of Picardy beside those of the French, British, American, Belgian and Portuguese, thus sealing the union which exists between the Allied peoples and governments."

ALREADY IN FRANCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Italian regiments are already in France and form the right wing of the Allied armies, the Italian Embassy announced today.

In making the announcement the Embassy gave out a radio dispatch from Rome, saying that Premier Orlando had announced that the Italians soon would be in the thick of the battle. The wireless message said:

"Premier Orlando has announced to the Chamber of Deputies that the right wing of the united army in France is formed by Italian regiments. These regiments will soon be in the thick of the battle. The announcement was received with the greatest enthusiasm and applause. The Deputies, including the members of the Socialist party, joined in a great demonstration to the French, British and American armies. The news was communicated to the Italian people and was received with great demonstrations of satisfaction. The Italians are feeling proud of the fact that they can prove their valor alongside of the French, British and American troops. The opinion prevails that the demonstrated unity in military operations will involve the greatest possible political and moral unity among the four great nations during and after the war. Many officers and soldiers are asking to be incorporated in the regiments sent to France."

In explanation of the apparent anomaly involved in dispatching Italian troops to the French war front while French and British troops are now in Italy, Italian military experts pointed out here today that Italy has a large number of soldiers available for service, if they can be properly armed, equipped and maintained. It is understood that the French and the British war departments are prepared to supply the necessary equipment.

It also was explained that, owing to the mobility of the infantry arm which is to be employed on the west front, it would be easily possible to shuttle them back to Italy in time to aid in repelling an Austrian onslaught.

Military considerations forbid the disclosure of the number of Italian troops to be used in France, but it is said that probably the Italian army will be as numerous as Gen. Pershing's forces.

BELIN TO SIT IN THE VERSAILLES COUNCIL.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, April 19.—Announcement was made today that France will be henceforth represented on the inter-Allied supreme war council at Versailles by Gen. Belin. He will take the place of Gen. Weygand, who will devote all his time to his duties as principal assistant to Gen. Foch.

Long-ranger Gives Paris Night Call.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, April 19.—The long-range bombardment of Paris was resumed this evening.

FRANCE'S LOSSES IN WAR ARE TOLD.

Almost 2,600,000 of Her Sons are Killed, Wounded or Taken Prisoners.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—France, in four years of conflict to preserve her own liberty and that of the world, according to Andre Tardieu, French high commissioner to the United States, has lost 1,300,000 men killed and almost as many wounded or prisoners.

Foch's Aid.

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district have greatly improved their positions and have not in any way been deceived by the attempted diversions of the enemy.

The battles in the neighborhood of Hangard have been of a fierce character, involving hand-to-hand fighting in the streets and inside houses. The villages itself has changed hands several times, but now is firmly held by the French, who, throughout the most determined onslaughts of the Germans, have displayed heroic courage.

The Germans have lost enormous numbers of men, their dead lying about everywhere. A considerable number of their men also have been forced to surrender.

Since April 12 there have been repeated small attacks by German shock troops. All were repulsed.

FIGURES GIVE LIE TO GERMANY'S NAVY HEAD

ADMIRAL VON CAPPELLE'S 1917 AVERAGE SAID TO BE EXAGGERATION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 19.—According to a statement issued officially last night, the figures given by Admiral Von Cappelle, German Minister of the Navy, in his speech before the Main Committee of the Reichstag, are misleading and contrary to facts as to ship sinkings.

"Exaggerated figures of losses are still relied on by the enemy," says the statement. "The average of monthly losses of British ships in 1917 was 333,000 gross tons, whereas Admiral Von Cappelle bases his argument on over 600,000 tons. The figures for the quarter ending March 31 will be published shortly, when it will be seen that the claims made of a continuance of the drop in the rate of losses is fully justified.

"With regard to steel, the First Lord of the Admiralty already has assured the House of Commons that arrangements have been made for a supply of steel to give the output aimed at, and at the present time the shipyards are in every case fully supplied with this material."

FOR CONTINUED SEA WAR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, April 19.—Speaking during the naval debate in the Reichstag committee, Count von Westarp, the Conservative leader, says a Berlin dispatch, declared that, with the exception of the Independent Socialists, the committee was unanimous that the submarine warfare must be continued by all means and in the sharpest manner.

They were agreed likewise, said the speaker, that the building of U-boats must be continued to the utmost possible limit, regardless of the duration of the war. This programme must be followed because it was regarded as a means of attaining peace and making England submissive.

AGRICULTURAL BILL SENT BACK TO HOUSE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—As a result of the House's rejection last night of the Senate amendment increasing the government's guaranteed wheat price to $2.50 a bushel, the agricultural appropriation bill went back to conference today. The House defeated the amendment by a vote of 167 to 98.

WAR OFFICE STATEMENTS

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 19.—The Germans were completely repulsed in the attack they launched yesterday around Givenchy on the southern side of the Lys battle front, the War Office announced today. When the assaults ceased after heavy losses, the enemy had only been able to secure a limited footing at one or two points of the more advanced British defenses.

Attacks on the British line in the northern part of the Lys battle area south of Kemmel were successfully repulsed.

There was no change in the situation along the entire British front during the night, which passed in comparative quiet, with the exception of activity by the artillery on both sides.

Six different German divisions, it has been determined, were engaged in the unsuccessful attack in the Givenchy-St. Venant sector.

The enemy launched further attacks last evening south of Kemmel. These were broken up by British artillery and machine gun fire.

The attacks against the line in the Kemmel sector, the repulse of which was reported today, took place yesterday morning.

In minor enterprises at various points during the night the British captured a few prisoners and some machine guns.

The statement follows:

"The hostile attacks reported to be in progress yesterday morning south of Kemmel were successfully repulsed and other attacks launched by the enemy in this locality during the evening were broken up by our artillery and machine gun fire.

"With the exception of artillery activity on both sides in the battle sectors, the night passed comparatively quietly on the whole British front. We captured some prisoners and machine guns as a result of minor enterprises at different points.

"Regiments from six different German divisions are now known to have been engaged in the unsuccessful attacks delivered by the enemy yesterday in the Givenchy-St. Venant sector. The fighting at Givenchy, as on other parts of this front, ended in the complete repulse of the enemy, who, at the end of most determined and costly assaults, was only able to secure a limited footing at one or two points in our more advanced defenses. The enemy is known to have suffered heavy casualties from our artillery fire before he attacked, and his losses in the course of the day's fighting were equally severe."

FRENCH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, April 19.—The French last night reduced German machine gun nests on the front of yesterday's attack southeast of Amiens, the War Office announces. There was heavy artillery fighting in this region.

The statement follows:

"There was a rather violent bombardment by both of the opposing artilleries along the front from Castel to Mailly Raineval. During the night the French reduced certain machine gun nests on the front of attack yesterday. The number of prisoners taken by us has reached 450, of whom twenty are officers.

"North of Bezonvaux (Verdun front,) we carried out a successful raid and brought back prisoners. Elsewhere on the front there was intermittent cannonading."

EXTRAVAGANCE, SAYS THOMAS OF COLORADO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—Increase to $30 a month in the minimum pensions for Civil War veterans and graduated increases to $40 are proposed in a bill by Senator Smoot, of Utah, considered today by the Senate. The measure would increase the government's pension roll $40,000,000, or about 20 per cent. next year. The only opposition to the bill was from Senator Thomas of Colorado, who said it was "extravagance."

Owing to the absence of a quorum further action on the measure was postponed and the Senate adjourned until Monday.

SELCHOW, FRIEND OF KAISER, A PROFITEER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Baron von Selchow, a member of the Prussian upper House, will be prosecuted by the imperial government for violation of the law regarding trade in cereals, according to an official dispatch today from Amsterdam. Von Selchow is accused of having made an enormous fortune selling wheat at a forbidden price. He is a friend of the Kaiser and a former officer of the guard.

TEN BELGIANS HOLD OFF 300 GERMAN FOES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK April 19.—Gallantry displayed by a Belgian patrol of ten men in holding off for an hour, until reinforcements arrived, an attacking force of 300 Germans near Reigersvliet, was described in a message from the Flanders front received here today by Senator Henri La Fontaine, head of the American fund for gifts for Belgian soldiers.

When reinforced, the garrison took the offensive, taking back the lost trenches and many prisoners and guns. King Albert telegraphed his congratulations to the troops.

SUFFRAGISTS WORK ON RATIFICATION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) April 18.—Following an optimistic report as to the outlook for passage by the Senate of the Susan B. Anthony amendent to the Federal Constitution, by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, the executive board of the organization, in session here today, devoted its time to plans intended to assure ratification by States of the amendment.

The plans were based on the individual needs of the States and were worked out in detail.

STATE FUNERAL FOR CHILEAN.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—State funeral services will be conducted next Monday morning at St. Matthews Catholic Church for the late Senor Don Santiago Aldunate, Chilean Ambassador, who died here Wednesday. There will be a high requiem mass, after which the body will be placed in a vault until a warship is ready to convey it to Chile.

Tide Turns.

KAISER IS IN DANGER

Bethune Move is a Defensive One.

Germans Strive to Guard Flanks by Securing La Bassee Canal.

Arrival of French Support with Seasoned Men is Stroke in Time.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) April 19.—The British battle line is more secure than it has been for days, says a Reuter dispatch from London today.

The change of German attack to the region between Givenchy and east of Robecq found no weak spot in the British resistance yesterday, the dispatch says. There was only one point in the new battle area where the enemy gained anything, this being opposite the hill of Pinges, where he succeeded in bridging La Bassee canal, but the only Germans who crossed came as prisoners.

"This new German attack in the direction of Bethune," the dispatch continues, "is obviously intended to protect his flanks if he wishes to drive further northward. The enemy is trying to secure La Bassee canal with the object of safeguarding his troops around Bailleul and simultaneously imperilling the British in the French coal field near Bethune.

SPLENDID FRENCHMEN.

"The arrival of the French support is regarded as most important. They are described as splendidly seasoned men. The sight of the long blue lines marching up the roads gave the British a fresh sense of security, and the news of the French aggressive stroke south of Amiens still further heartened the anxious watchers at home. The British withdrawal east of Ypres was due to the German advance from the south along the Lys Valley threatening towns of the Ypres sector. Thus the distance that this army would have to retreat if the enemy looked like breaking through the Castel-Kemmel line and heights has been reduced. The result of yesterday's fighting shows the enemy looks less like breaking through than it did and although the retirement in the Ypres sector is regrettable, yet they are no nearer to securing possession of the important heights between them and the coast. They failed to get Wytschaete and are still no nearer Hazebrouck, whose capture is necessary to the enemy plan.

AT MT. KEMMEL HILL.

"Before Mount Kemmel, the rugged wood hill that has already caused the enemy so dearly, their masses are advancing openly and are mowed down. The enemy here is trying to break a way beyond Meteren and west of Bailleul. Although we have abandoned Meteren and Wytschaete, the enemy's position is most uncomfortable.

"The German outposts were unable to advance beyond the north side of Meteren. It can not be said that the general situation is less anxious, but there is undoubtedly increasing confidence in the unity of command. There is still expectation of renewed thrusts at Amiens and the French correspondents speak of the enormous enemy concentrations between Arras and Amiens.

VICTORY PROPHESIED.

One of the foremost French generals, who commanded the three French divisions in the heavy fighting previous to April 7, declared unreservedly to Reuter's correspondent that "We have every ground for confidence both in Picardy and Flanders." The correspondent's dispatch received here quotes the general as follows:

"In this battle, like all others, each side would continue to ply blow and counter-blow, endeavoring by weight of numbers or superior skill, to find the weak spot in the enemy's armor and each endeavoring to retain sufficient reserves to turn the scale when the decisive moment was reached.

"After four years we are now only within sight of this decisive point. The Germans have still in France unused reserves and fresh divisions. The battle will proceed and the next shock must be expected as soon as the flood pouring in through Bailleul up toward Hazebrouck is checked. The battle may continue a month or more, but the Entente will continue until the enemy reserves are exhausted and his numerical superiority worn down to the vanishing point. Then our turn will come, with the help of American divisions.

"Meanwhile the enemy propagandists are sending broadcast neutral reports speaking of the depression and weariness of the United Kingdom and dominions, which are strongly in variance with the real feeling here. Germany itself is preaching the necessity of huge indemnities from the western powers in addition to annexations."

COMMODITY LIST TO NEUTRALS REVISED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The list of commodities which will be considered for exportation to Sweden and Holland has been revised and augmented by the War Trade Board.

As announced tonight the list of permits under license the shipment of many articles wanted by those two countries, the most important being spare or replacement parts of machinery, sugical and medical appliances, except when containing rubber, sugar refining machinery, and certain drugs, including a number which formerly were the exclusive product of Germany, but which now are being made in this country from German patents.

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Try Murine Eye Remedy. At your druggist, 50c per bottle. For Book of the Eye Free write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

OUR DEAD IN FRANCE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The casualty list today contained forty-two names, divided as follows:

Killed in action, 7; died of wounds, 8; died of disease, 2; wounded severely, 6; wounded slightly, 17; missing in action, 2.

Killed in action—Corps. John L. Hendrickson and Earl Snow, Privates Carl H. Alson, Louis Emperate, George C. Seeley, Stanislaw Stefanski and Girelamo Viscusi.

Died of wounds—Corps. Roy L. Boyce, Leon Ware, Joseph Rizzo, Privates Pietro Iantorne, James J. Norcia, Frederick Young, Joseph W. Zwinge and Bugler Sefey L. Rood.

Died of disease—Privates Edwin D. Haven and Edward J. Flannery.

Wounded severely—Sergt. John A. Dickermen, Privates James D. Flynn, Theodore G. Hoag, Horace G. McDermont, Walter S. Preddy and James St. John.

Wounded slightly—Lieut. Harold T. Lowe, Corps. Leon M. Morey, George E. Bethumer, Privates Edward Breeze, Angus R. Burton, Edward J. Cook, Newell G. Flood, William J. Follen, Walter L. Howland, Leo E. Jolliker, Arthur J. Kennedy, Adam Mickiewicz, George Phillips, Bertram C. Raynor, John I. Tower, Roy L. White and Carl Zompetti.

Missing in action—Lieuts. Robert B. Rhett and Moses Taylor, Jr.

CAMP LEWIS WILL HEAR DR. BROUGHER.

LOS ANGELES PREACHER AND HUMORIST WILL ADDRESS THE SOLDIERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMP LEWIS (Wash.) April 19.—James W. Brougher, preacher, lecturer and humorist, will visit Camp Lewis next week, coming from Los Angeles, where he is pastor of the First Baptist Church, and will address the men of the California regiments. Monday evening the men of the Three Hundred and Sixty-third and Three Hundred and Sixty-fourth Infantry regiments and the Three Hundred and Sixteenth Field Signal Battalion, California organizations, will be the guests of the Y.M.C.A., at the big auditorium. The bands of all these units will be present and the biggest jazz entertainment ever held in the cantonment is promised. Robert Lloyd, camp songster, will lead the men in singing the most popular songs of the camp. A feature of the programme will be the humorous talk of Dr. Brougher on "What's Under Your Hat?"

Before the entire Forty-fourth Infantry at a review held last night, Privates Berg and Carpenter were presented with medals by Willie Ritchie, camp boxing instructor, for winning decisions in their matches at the last Olympic Theater smoker. The men were highly praised by Col. Jones, commander of the Forty-fourth Infantry, for their ability in this line of sports and the men of the regiment were urged to strive to attain a like perfection in those branches of sports for which they are most adapted.

BATTLE SITUATION IN BRIEF.

Over the battle fields of France and Flanders, where terrific struggles have been waged almost without intermission since March 21, there has come what appears to be a lull, says the Associated Press.

Official reports tell little of actual conditions. They say that the situation is unchanged, which may indicate that both sides are exhausted by their exertions in the engagements that have been fought, or that they are busy bringing up artillery and fresh troops to renew the struggle.

Correspondents at the front tell of miserable weather—cold and rain and sleet—to add to the already-known bad condition of the lowlands, which are virtually quagmires through which the men and materials can be moved only with difficulty.

DUEL OF EMPIRES FOUGHT IN QUAGMIRE.

The opposing armies have been fighting in a flat, marshy country since April 9, and this ground, difficult enough under normal conditions, has been made still more nearly impassable by rains and the tempest of high-explosive shells that has blasted roads and fields.

It appears, however, that the Germans have not repeated their thrust along the line running north of Bethune, where they met with a sanguinary repulse Wednesday and Thursday. They employed about 75,000 men along a line variously reported to be from six to ten miles in length, but gained little or no ground. The La Bassee Canal front is still in British hands, and bridges flung across it by the Teutons have been swept away by the artillery fire.

FRENCH BLOW AT APEX OF GERMAN LINES.

The blow aimed by the French at the very apex of the German lines in Picardy, in front of Amiens, apparently has not been followed up. It is difficult to believe that the Allied counter-offensive, when it comes, will be launched in this sector. Advices from France would seem to indicate that the blow would be struck at another part of the battle line.

The southern end of the battle front in France has shared in the quiet that has enveloped other sectors of the line. Only raiding operations and artillery duels are reported there.

DEVELOPMENTS IN ITALIAN MOVEMENT.

An interesting dispatch tells of the moving of Italian troops to France. This would point to one of two developments—either the Italian front is in no particular danger at the present moment or else Gen. Foch is calling every available man to swell the army that he will hurl at the foe when the moment for battle arrives. It is probable, however, that the force of Italians en route to the French front is comparatively small.

The German torpedo-boat flotilla has been active along the coast sector of the battle line and has shelled Belgian positions there. This may foreshadow a German attempt to drive westward through Nieuport.

Destruction.

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND SHELLS WRECK RHEIMS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, April 19.—Rheims, which has been on fire for a week, is now nothing but a great pile of smoking ruins. During the past week the Germans have fired more than 100,000 shells into the heart of the city, according to the correspondent of Le Matin, and flames from the burning buildings can be seen by aviators sixty and seventy miles away. With them are lost their lives. some local firemen, one of whom, Sergt. Fiol, has been on duty in Rheims since the outbreak of the war and has been wounded fourteen times.

With the market place, and the Musicians' House, which dates from the sixteenth century, have been reduced to dust and ashes. The vaulting of the famous Rheims cathedral is falling, stone by stone.

Notwithstanding the terrible bombardment, forty Paris firemen sent to the relief of the city have not been recalled. Some of them have

There are no traces of streets and thoroughfares, which have disappeared from view under the accumulation of debris. Ancient buildings in the Place Royale and the

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ADVERTISING FIGURES THAT PROVE SUPREMACY.

Just as the day follows the night, The Times prints the largest volume of advertising in Los Angeles. As an indication of its supremacy The Times on April 14 again printed approximately as much advertising as the other two local newspapers put together.

The advertising record of each local newspaper for Sunday, April 14, was as follows:

The Times	9,481 inches
The second newspaper	6,947 "
The third newspaper	3,912 "

"CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING"

Experts admit that the newspaper that regularly prints the biggest volume of "want ads" invariably is the medium that reaches the greatest number of buyers. The Times always leads in the volume of these popular advertisements, and regularly prints more than all the other local newspapers combined.

The following is the "want-ad" record of the city's newspapers for Sunday, April 14, 1918:

The Times	3,199 inches
The second newspaper	1,744 "
The third newspaper	665 "

The foregoing figures show that The Times exceeded the combined total of the other two local newspapers by 790 inches.

Advertising in The Times increases business and reduces selling costs.

Manhattan Shirts

Knox Hats

Exclusive L. A. Dealers

Edwin Clapp Shoes

To the Man—

about to buy himself a suit we offer the following advantages—

First A complete selection of Stein Bloch and Stratford (for which we are sole agents) fine clothing of rigidly maintained quality and up-to-the-minute styles.

Second A REAL guarantee with every suit we sell. Should you find imperfection in cloth or tailoring, return the same and your money will be refunded.

Third A broad and liberal sales policy and the sincere desire that our goods will please—a result we will go to any lengths to secure.

Fourth A buying organization that is able to take advantage of any turn of the market—present stock is an indication of what knowledge of conditions can do.

Fifth The personal advice and interest of a staff of the country's best "clothing salesmen," who have probably been responsible for more satisfied clothing customers than any other individuals in the retail history of Southern California.

Sixth An opportunity to purchase a suit from a house which has shown a constant, sturdy growth from its beginning, and which numbers among its friends more customers of long standing and fewer changes than any other clothing store which can be named.

Stein Bloch Clothes $30, $35 to $50

Stratford Clothes $25, $30 to $40

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The State Board of Control near future will mail blanks to $700 real estate agents and who had been licensed under law, upon which they may application for the return of fees aggregating $43,000. When blanks are returned, a budget be prepared showing the amount each individual and this will presented to the next State Legislature with the request for the of an act permitting the State to imburse them.

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Working Days Gone; Thirteen to Go; and no Maximum Set.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NGTON, April 19.—Forty announced today at committee headquarters.

nt of the three-billion- By districts, the awards thus far minimum sought for are:

Liberty Loan is now re- Northern California, seventy-two scribed in eleven work- cities, fourteen counties; Southern and thirteen days remain California, fifty cities, three counties; Washington, seven cities, six counties; Utah, fourteen cities; Oregon, 131 cities, one county; Nevada, five counties; Arizona, eight cities; Idaho, three counties; Alaska, four cities.

New awards today were Irvington, Santa Susana, Somis, Hobart Mills, Floriston, Livermore, Boca, Alturas, Fort Bidwell, Hardwick, Lemoore, all of California.

HUNDRED PER CENTERS.

Honor stars designating a 100 per cent. oversubscription were awarded these communities, which have been awarded flags previously: Corcoran, Truckee, Hobart Mills, Floriston and Boca, Cal.

Waverley, Wash., telegraphed headquarters for an honor flag, and Four Lakes, from the same State, claimed two blue stars for a tripled quota. This town claimed an honor flag on April 9.

Rolph, on Humboldt Bay, near Eureka, Cal., was overlooked when bond quotas were assigned. It asked for and received a quota of $10,000. Today the Liberty Loan Committee of Rolph telegraphed local Loan Bond headquarters for an honor flag with three stars, as $42,800 had been subscribed and further subscriptions "were in prospect."

The northern district of Santa Cruz county, California, reported $217,700 subscribed up to Thursday, or almost one-half of a quota of $474,000. Livermore, Cal., has requested an honor flag, reporting subscriptions of $183,450, with a quota of $152,500.

Every town in Fresno county, California, is "over the top" with a total subscribed for the county, to date, of more than $3,016,000. Fresno City reported having reached its quota with a total of $1,875,000.

California was reported to be in the lead of other States in the district in the number of honor flags awarded. This State's total was placed at 139, with Oregon second in the district with a total of 132.

CLEVELAND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CLEVELAND, April 19.—Socialism in America was branded as poisonous German propaganda by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in a speech in behalf of the Liberty Loan at the City Club this afternoon.

While the labor chief was excoriating Socialism and calling on labor and capital in Cleveland to join hands in speeding up the city's subscription race, Douglas Fairbanks, moving-picture actor, was making a loan appeal before a crowd that jammed the largest theater in town.

"There is no such thing as an American Socialist party." Mr. Gompers said. "The American Socialist organization is merely a branch of the one in Germany—it is part of German propaganda."

Mr. Gompers declared he had been changed from "the most active pacifist in America, to be a good fighter," and he said that "labor will not meet in a peace movement until the war is over and labor parties of all countries can be represented."

ST. LOUIS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, April 19—With a total subscription up to noon today of $102,122,800, the Eighth Federal Reserve District has subscribed 78 per cent. of its quota of the third Liberty Loan.

MILWAUKEE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MILWAUKEE, April 19.—Yesterday's subscriptions of $1,356,450 to the third Liberty Loan, brought the total, as officially reported, up to $6,533,600. Campaign workers announced that unofficial figures would bring this much higher. Milwaukee's quota is $14,000,000.

MINNEAPOLIS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MINNEAPOLIS, April 19.— Both North Dakota and Montana have over-subscribed their respective quotas of $6,500,000 and $9,000,000, by more than $1,000,000 each, according to word received at Ninth District loan headquarters here last night.

SIOUX CITY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SIOUX CITY, April 19.—Between lanes of cheering thousands, Sioux City's Liberty Loan pageant moved this afternoon through the business district in what was the greatest patriotic demonstration in the city's history.

While the pageant, primarily, was to celebrate Sioux City's notable victory in being the first city in the United States to pass its quota in the third Liberty Loan, this aspect was nearly lost in the display of patriotism.

MANHATTAN, KANSAS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MANHATTAN (Kan.) April 10.— Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, commander of the Eighty-ninth National Army Division at Camp Funston, in a Liberty Loan speech here last night declared that America does not know yet what sacrifice is. Sacrifice does not stop with the purchase of Liberty Bonds, he said, "for there will be Liberty Loans and more Liberty Loans, and it is our duty to support all of them."

"This war is going to last as long as we are fit to live as a nation," he said, "or until we win. We are in for it now and we must follow it through."

DALLAS, TEXAS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DALLAS, April 19.—Sales of the third Liberty Loan Bonds in the Eleventh Federal District, tabulated up to noon today, totaled $40,818,150, according to announcement by the Dallas bank. The district's minimum is $30,000,000.

AMARILLO, TEXAS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

AMARILLO (Tex.) April 19.— Mayor Lon D. Marrs, Amarillo, in a proclamation issued last night, ordered that every business in Amarillo cease operation from 3 o'clock today and thereafter until Amarillo's quota of $800,000 of the Liberty Loan is raised.

DENVER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER, April 19.—Colorado has raised 72.7 per cent. of its allotment of $20,312,500 for the third Liberty Loan campaign, it was announced officially at State headquarters here tonight.

ROUND MOUNTAIN, NEVADA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ROUND MOUNTAIN (Nev.) April 12.—Round Mountain, with a population of 193 persons and a Liberty Loan quota of $9000, already has subscribed $32,800, it was announced last night.

Round Mountain, according to the prediction by the Liberty Loan Committee, will exceed $26,000 in its subscriptions to the loan.

REPUBLICANS OWN THE STATE.

Complete Registration Figures Show Majority Over All Others.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 19.—Complete registration figures for the fifty-eight counties of California, announced today by Frank C. Jordan, Secretary of State, show that 722,881 voters registered in the period between January 1 and April 6, inclusive.

The registrations were divided as follows: Republicans, 382,341; Democrats, 190,109; Progressive, 11,321; Socialists, 19,445; Prohibition, 21,931; declined to state, 96,176; miscellaneous, 1558.

ARIZONAN ARRESTED ON SEDITION CHARGE.

PAPERS PUBLISHED IN MANY LANGUAGES LEAD IN BOOSTING LIBERTY LOAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 9.—"Kauft Freiheit bonds." This is the appeal made to every reader of German-language newspapers and magazines published in the United States these days in news and editorial columns and advertising pages.

"Buy Liberty Bonds," urge the editors in the language of America's enemies.

Clippings displayed today at National Liberty Loan headquarters indicate that the Germanic-language papers in this country are devoting proportionately more space to the preaching of the necessity for oversubscribing the loan as a means of defeating Germany than are other daily papers. Other foreign-language papers are equally active on behalf of the war credit, including the Hungarian, Bulgarian and Turkish publications.

BEARING FRUIT.

Their work is bearing fruit, according to reports to Hans Rieg, a native of Germany, director of the foreign-language section of the Liberty Loan organization, for thousands of subscriptions have been gathered from the foreign-language districts of American cities since the campaign started.

Here are some of the Liberty Bond headlines noted in papers which reached headquarters today: "Liberty Boundot"—Hungarian. "Koopt Nu Vandaag Vrijheids Bonds"—Dutch. "Prestitio della Liberta"—Italian. "Friheds Bond"—Norwegian. "Rondow Wolnosciowych"—Polish. "Bond Svobody"—Bohemian. "Achete votre Bon de la Liberte"—French.

FORTY-ONE NATIONALS.

Forty-one nationalities are participating in the Third Liberty Loan campaign, and practically all are represented by newspapers which lead in the work. These include Chinese, Japanese, Turkish, Arabic, Greek, Hebrew, Ukrainian, Flemish, Finnish, Danish and other Scandinavian nationalities; Armenian, Assyrian, Portuguese and Spanish.

Throughout the country the campaign work has been carefully organized. Hans Rieg, the director, speaks eleven languages.

ARREST AT DOUGLAS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) April 19.— William E. Schwamm, 46 years old, a naturalized American, native of Germany, was arrested today and held in $10,000 bail for preliminary hearing next Thursday, on a charge of violating the Espionage Act by making seditious utterances. Yesterday morning Schwamm was released from jury duty at Tombstone because Douglas members of the jury refused to serve with him, alleging that he had refused to purchase Liberty Bonds.

Schwamm is reputed to be worth $700,000, most of his property being realty holdings. He has been a resident of Douglas for seventeen years.

WHY WE WILL WIN.

President Benjamin Ide Wheeler is Sure Allies will be Victors, Giving Four Reasons.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BERKELEY, April 19.—Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, in a statement issued here yesterday urging subscriptions to Liberty Loan Bonds, gave four of his reasons for being convinced America and her allies are going to win the war. He said:

"We are goin to win this war. It may be soon, it may be long, but we are going to win.

"The first reason is that we had better all die than lose and live. We know that and shall act accordingly. We shall stake every last man and dollar.

"The second reason is that our cause asserts the plain rights of humanity; and human justice will not perish lightly from off the earth.

"The third reason is that the German cause asserts raw force. It regards everything right that succeeds. It flaunts the carnal banner of materialism. It sets the machine above the sacrifice, and carries within itself the seeds of death.

"The fourth reason why we shall win is that the French, English and Americans have within them no apparatus whereby they would ever know they were beaten. Faithful and grim, they have set their faces to the task and they will stay through.

"They give of their lives; we give of our substance—whatsoever they ask—for the spirit of the Hun must be banished from the earth."

AGRICULTURAL BILL REPORT IS ADOPTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The House adopted today the conference report on the Agricultural Appropriation Bill, with the exception of the Senate amendent for $2.50 wheat.

The Situation.

ALLIED ARMIES SAFE; HAIG WEATHERS STORM.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

(Continued from First Page.)

put up a strong defense to any Allied offense, but when the battle reaches this stage, the Allies look to Foch to outgeneral Ludendorff and use his powers to better advantage.

MUST BE VERY LARGE BRITISH RESERVES.

On the basis of all British official statements there must be very large British reserves either in France or on duty at home. German superiority at any point of the battle front in France is only a result of skillful shifting and concentration. That is an advantage incident to the initiative. The safety of the Allies so far as large reserves in the west are concerned, lies in the fact that they can in time bring about a balance of forces at any point by equally vigorous counter-concentration.

The presence in France of a considerable body of Italian troops, whose arrival is just announced, is another guaranty of Allied capacity to meet the shock of a further German offensive, and shows that practical unity in disposing of the Allied armies has been attained.

ITALY HAS MANY MEN TO THROW IN.

Italy, through most of the war has been embarrassed with a larger number of troops than she could adequately supply with munitions. This was due to the slight industrial development of the country compared with the other belligerents and the nation's comparative poverty. When Italy entered the war in May, 1915, the French urged that part of the Italian troops be sent to the west front. But Italy, partly because she was not ready to declare war on Germany and partly because the bitter lesson of unified control had not been learned, held back and confined herself to the northern mountain front. March 1, 1917, the Italian army's strength was estimated at 3,000,000.

MILLION MAY BE SPARED FROM PENINSULA.

In July of the same year, a Washington dispatch, based on diplomatic sources of information, said Italy had a million soldiers ready to fight, which could not be used on her own front, and negotiations to use them elsewhere were proceeding with the French and British governments. A month later a small contingent had been sent to assist the British in Palestine. The Italians also took over the left flank of the Allied line in the Balkans, but the total forces outside of Italy were comparatively small.

The disaster of last fall cut deep into Italy's man power, but this was largely made up by calling more men to the colors. So far as known the problem of finding soldiers often acute in Germany, France, and England, has never troubled the Rome government.

COLD WEATHER NOW DEPRESSES GERMANS.

SLEET SQUALLS SETTLE OVER BATTLEFIELD, ADDING TO HORRORS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) April 19.—"The bitter cold weather and sleet squalls probably are profoundly distressing to the Germans, for whom yesterday was another bad day," says a dispatch received here tonight from the Reuter correspondent at British headquarters in France. "The great attack launched at 9:50 o'clock in the forenoon, between Givenchy and Robecq, after five hours of intense bombardment, was a complete failure. Between Avelette bridge and Ries Duvinage, the enemy was repulsed with calamitous losses, leaving some hundreds of prisoners in our hands.

"This morning there were signs of enemy activity against the high ground to the north and northeast of Givenchy, but possibly this was only an aftermath of the main attack which was repulsed. The situation of any Germans there is anything but pleasant.

"South of La Bassee Canal the night was quiet. There was some heavy shelling at St. Emilie and in the area northwest of Arras, but no infantry movement followed.

"By a dashing little operation our line in the neighborhood of Riez Duvinage has been restored. Indications are not lacking that the Germans will continue their main effort to push northerly between Meteren and Wytschaete.

"They probably succeeded in getting across the Ypres-Comines Canal some heavy artillery in the region of Houthoist, doubtless intending to enfilade the lines near Mont Kemmel. South of Steenwerck, few of the enemy heavies have hitherto been in action.

"In the course of the fighting April 11 on the Romarin-Rossignel front, four companies of a regiment of the German Two Hundred Fourteenth Division lost an average of 55 per cent. In the first attack at Meteren three battalions of the Twenty-first German Reserve Division, were reduced to less than a company strength.

"In two days fighting east of Strazele six battalions of the Forty-second German Division, representing two-thirds of the total divisional strength, suffered considerably more than 50 per cent. casualties. The twenty-second regiment of the Eleventh Bavarian Division at Neuvre Eglise on the night of April 14, was wiped out. Three battalions of Second Bavarian Jaeger regiment of Alpine Corps, in the attack at Mont Delitle, were so cut up that they are unlikely to be heard of again in the present battle. Both the Twelfth Reserve Division and the Thirty-second Division suffered disastrous losses."

SENATORS SEE MODEL OF SUPER-ZEPPELIN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Demonstrations of a sixteen-foot model dirigible of the Zeppelin type, swung on wires—a machine said to be superior to the German craft in that it is more mobile and can alight on water—were given today to the Senate Military Committee by Alfred Herbert, a Montelair (N. J.) inventor.

He said his dirigible could be built 600 feet in length, carry fifty persons, machine guns and bombs and attain a speed of seventy-five miles an hour.

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TO UNKULTUR TEXT-BOOKS.

Boards of Education Have the Right to Take Out Pro-German Stuff.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 19.—Boards of education in California counties and cities have authority to remove from school text-books any matter regarded as pro-German propaganda or which does not agree in spirit and letter with American ideals, Edward Hyatt, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, announced today.

He said the ruling had been made by his office as a result of an inquiry from the Long Beach Board of Education as to whether it had authority to censor the books.

BAKER SEES WILSON; LATER LORD READING.

EXPEDITING TROOP MOVEMENTS SAID TO HAVE BEEN DISCUSSED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Secretary Baker conferred for several hours with President Wilson today, the regular Cabinet meeting being cancelled to clear the way for the conference, which had to do with both immediate and future steps for accelerating American participation in the war.

At his office later Mr. Baker was in conference with Lord Reading, British Ambassador. The subject of their conversation concerned expediting the movement of American troops to theaters of war.

As to plans for expediting war preparations on this side, Mr. Baker would make no comment.

The report has been current for many days that William C. Potter, now in charge of Signal Corps production, will be elevated to a higher and more auspicious post with some duties. It was rumored today, too, that Henry Ford might be selected to handle airplane production much in the way that Charles M. Schwab has been placed in charge of shipbuilding.

RESTITUTION BEFORE PEACE, FRENCH STAND.

RETURN OF ALSACE-LORRAINE TOPIC IN SPEECH AT ILLINOIS CELEBRATION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) April 19.—Although Alsace-Lorraine is by no means the only obstacle to peace, no peace can come, Louis Albert of the French high commission declared in a speech here last night, until the territory wrested from France nearly half a century ago is restored.

"The return of Alsace-Lorraine to France," he said, "would commemorate the victory of the principles for which we are all fighting. When Herr von Kuehlmann or Count Czernin proclaim that Alsace-Lor-

DISLOYAL SUSPECT HUNG UP, CUT DOWN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

COLLINSVILLE (Okla.) April 19.—Henry Rheimer, suspected of disloyalty, was hanged by a crowd of fifty men here tonight, but after he had swung until he had become semi-conscious, the police persuaded the would-be executioneers to cut him down on the promise that he would be given a trial by the County Council of Defense tomorrow morning.

THEIR LAST DESPERATE STROKE, SAYS DANIELS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON (Mass.) April 19.—These "temporary successes" of the Germans on the western front mark their last desperate stroke, and whether it succeeds or fails does not mean a final triumph for Germany, Secretary of the Navy Daniels told the thousands of young men who greeted him at the Harvard radio school today.

The great school at Harvard University, to turn out hundreds of skilled radio operators for the navy, was only one of the scores of places visited by the Secretary in this city's celebration commemorating the battle of Concord and Lexington.

THREE YEARS IN JAIL FOR FOE FALSIFIER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, April 19.—George Liebscher, alias Frederick De Chane, was sentenced to three years in Federal prison late today, after having been convicted in Federal court of false swearing. Liebscher swore he was born in France. In order to obtain citizenship papers, when it was shown in court he was a native of Germany. He was an American soldier at the time of his arrest.

The evidence showed he visited German consulates in Mexico prior to his enlistment.

UKRAINE FOOD HOPES FAIL FOE.

No Essential Relief this Year for Germany, Says Von Eynern.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—No essential relief for food conditions in Germany may be expected from Ukraine during the present economic years, said Privy Councillior von Eynern, of the State Food Commission, in discussing the food supply situation at a meeting in Berlin, according to the Cologne Gazette of March 21, a copy of which has been received here.

Far View.

WORLD MARKETS AFTER THE WAR

Foreign Trade Council Talks of Commerce Plans.

American Advertising Skill to be Huge Factor.

Watch Germans, Warning by U. S. Steel President.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CINCINNATI (O.) April 19.—Advertising, particularly that in foreign fields, was one of the topics discussed at the national foreign trades council meeting here today.

Carl H. Green, of New York City, declared that for three years we have had every self-appointed critic in this country telling us that Germany is the epitome of all that is excellent in exporting and that because of this great "gas" attack, the exporters of this country have overlooked the concrete thing in international trade in which the United States excels, namely, advertising.

The delegates to the convention tonight listened to an address by James A. Farrell of New York, chairman of the national foreign trades council, and president of the United States Steel Corporation, who took as his subject "Foreign Trade Aspects."

WATCH GERMANY.

The speaker expressed the belief that, after the war, Germany would become "as potent a competitor for the markets of the world as she was before," and that the United States therefore must immediately mobilize their surplus resources.

"We shall see such an increase of the world's wealth as will go far to compensate for the appalling destruction which the past four years have witnessed," asserted Mr. Farrell. "America, it may be hoped, will maintain the position of offering to the world all its requirements which can be supplied here, on terms and conditions that are fair and just. There is no evidence of any intention to take undue advantage of our economic and productive strength, and we shall in the future be as little disposed to turn to profit the necessities of a war-worn world, or the exceptional influence of our position as exporters and importers."

PACIFIC PROBLEMS.

"Commercial Problems of the Pacific," was the subject of an address by J. K. Armsby of San Francisco. "It would appear that in order not only to increase foreign commerce of the great section of the United States west of the Rocky Mountains," said Mr. Armsby, "but to maintain that which we already enjoy, an adequate American merchant marine, operating under laws and regulations no more onerous than those of our foreign competitors, is not only an absolute necessity, but is of the first importance. It is true now that our nation is feverishly building merchant vessels, and when peace finally comes we may hope for a large, if not an ample, merchant fleet.

"But of what value are vessels alone, if they cannot be operated in competition with those of nations with which our manufacturers must compete in selling their goods abroad?"

COMMUNITY INTEREST.

Robert H. Patchin of New York, declared that the war had created a greater community of interest in the Western hemisphere than its geographical integrity, or even the Monroe doctrine. "Economically all Latin America bears the same relation with our conduct of the war against Germany that the United States did before April 17, 1917, that is, as shippers of war materials, if not active allies. All the Latin American countries are, therefore, either politically or economically, or both, associates in the conflict."

ITALY WILL SPREAD SPEECH BY DAVISON.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

FLORENCE (Italy) Thursday, April 18.—H. P. Davison, chairman of the American Red Cross War Council, and his party visited Bologna today. They were received at the station by the city authorities, a band and an enthusiastic crowd.

General Segato gave a luncheon in honor of the Americans. Mr. Davison visited the American Red Cross buildings and saw the system of distribution there.

The Mayor of Florence, where Mr. Davison spoke yesterday, has issued a decree that his speech be read in all the schools. Gen. Secco, the military commander, has ordered that Mr. Davison's speech be read to all the troops.

MISSIONARIES SAVED BY SCOUTING PARTY.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PEKING, April 13, (Delayed.)—The release of Miss Katherine Schmidt and Mrs. Stanley M. Dixon, formerly of Springfield, S. D., the two American Mennonite missionaries who recently were captured by bandits near the Kiang Su-Shantung border and shortly afterward set free, was effected by a scouting party dispatched by the magistrate of Kiang Su. A skirmish in a village near the border preceded the rescue.

The Mennonite mission reported to the American Legation here that the women were unharmed.

GAYLEY APPOINTED DEAN OF FACULTIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

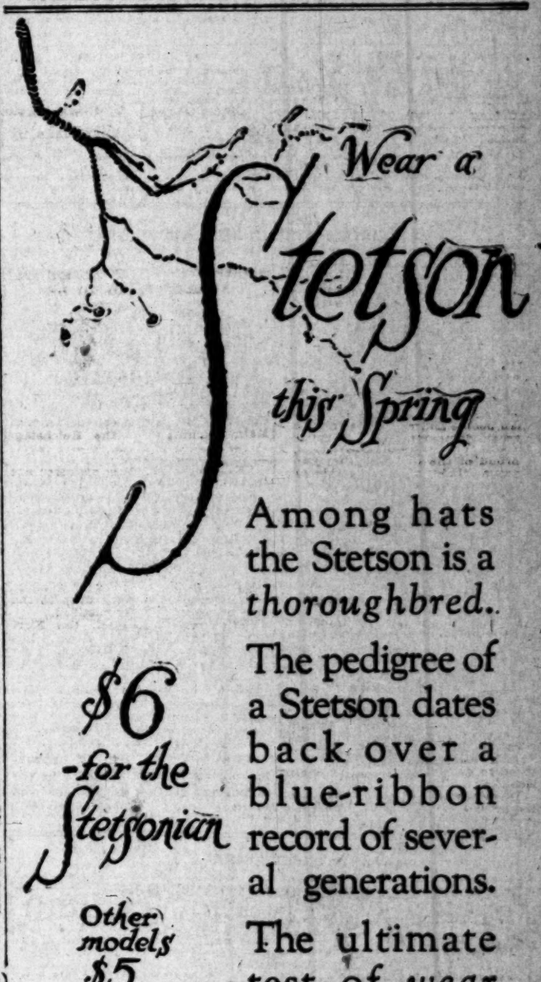
BERKELEY, April 19.—Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, announced the appointment today of Charles Mills Gayley, professor of English language and literature in the university, to the position of dean of the faculties. This is the highest academic and administrative post in the university's organization, with the exception of the presidency.

Prof. Gayley will occupy the deanship made vacant by the resignation of Henry Rand Hatfield, professor of accounting and dean of the college of commerce, who retired owing to ill health.

DEFENSE COMPLETES PANEL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, April 19.—Examination of a full panel of twelve prospective jurors for the trial of members of the I.W.W. for conspiracy to impede government war plans was completed by the defense tonight, but several of the veniremen probably will be questioned again before the prosecution has an opportunity to examine the five members whom it has not yet interrogated. Seven veniremen have been tentatively accepted by both sides.



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BENGALS SLAM SEAL ARTISTS.

Essick's Cohorts Come Back with a Bang.

Hummel Entertains Crowd in Contortion Act.

Heaver Smith Passes a Sad Afternoon.

BY EDWIN F. O'MALLEY.

The get-back—Vernon 7, San Francisco 1, and with a fortissimo on the "get." The Bengals are surely a bunch of fighting devils. Smarting under the trimming dealt them Thursday by Pitcher Kantlehner they came right back yesterday and made Heaver Smith throw two aces the minute he put the first ball over the plate. The Indian is regarded by the Seals as their three diamond special, but after Essick's pets got through with him he looked like the picture of a sound painted by nobody.

As long as Smith lives he will never forget that enfilading and as he trod his weary way toward the spray, six great big luscious runs derisively stared him in the face. Essick gave the order for a machine-gun fire as soon as Pietro Daley ambled to the rubber. Pete was true blue for he smeared a hot one to center for a visit to Mr. Koerner. Mitchell pasted one to Charley Pick. Charley niftily grabbed it but threw low to Koerner. Mitch was safe at first and nimble Pete nestled on third.

SNAPPY.

Comes along Mathes, who elevated to Hummel. Long swung his bludgeon for a swat to center tallying Daley and Mitchell. Borton plunked one into right for a base while Long visited Pick. Chadbourne, old boy, lifted one into right center for a triple sending Long and Borton in ahead of him. Hosp pushed one through short for a single bringing Chet home. De Vormer half-circled to Maggert. Chech, Daley and Mitchell walked, forcing Hosp across the plate. Mathes forced Mitchell at second, Corhan to Downs. Six runs, five hits.

Chief Johnson was then taken out of a powwow back near the clubhouse and sent to the mound. He was touched up pretty lively, but the Tigers had so big a lead that they took all kinds of chances with their hits and in several cases in trying to extend them for extra bases were put out. Long sent a screamer to left and tried to make third on it, but was out by the closest of margins. Chadbourne tried to stretch his long drive to deep center for a homer, but was nabbed at the plate.

The comedy of the game was furnished by Hummel when Chadbourne's triple neared him. "Hum" reached down for the ball but his hand flirted with an Irishman's flea. Seeing that hands would be of no avail to stop the pesky little thing in its mad flight, he cut a pigeon wing mixed with a little grapevine finally ending with a tango that would have put Rector to the blush. It was not until he resorted to the sword dance that he could corral the ball. If Hum would hereafter stand on his head in right and play ball with his feet there isn't a fielder in the league that could be mentioned in the same breath with him.

The victory of the Tigers and the defeat of the Oaklands places Bill Essick on top in the league, and he says he is going to stay there. The score:

SAN FRANCISCO.	AB	R	H	O	A	VERNON.	AB	R	H	O	A
Maggert,cf	4	1	1	1	0	Daley,lf	3	1	3	1	0
Pick,3b	4	0	2	4	0	J.Mitchell,2b	3	1	1	2	0
Buster,lf	4	0	2	2	1	Mathes,2b	1	0	0	2	4
Koerner,1b	4	0	1	9	0	Long,rf	4	1	2	3	0
Downs,2b	4	0	1	2	3	Borton,1b	4	2	2	10	0
Rumsel,rf	3	0	0	2	0	C'bourne,cf	4	1	2	4	0
Corhan,ss	4	0	0	1	7	Hosp,3b	3	1	1	2	1
McKee,c	3	0	0	8	1	DeVormer,ss	4	1	1	1	4
Smith,p	0	0	0	0	0	Chech,p	2	0	1	0	1
Johnson,p	3	0	0	1	2						
O'Doul,x	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	34	1	9	24	16	Totals	31	7	11	27	9

x—Batted for Hummel in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
San Francisco	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 1
Base hits	0	2	4	1	0	0	0	2	0	— 9
Vernon	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	— 11
Base hits	0	1	0	2	1	2	0	3	2	— 11

SUMMARY.

Errors—Maggert, Pick, Johnson. Stolen base—Daley. Three-base hit—Chadbourne. Two-base hits—Long, Hosp. Sacrifice hit—Chech. Struck out—By Johnson, 1; by Chech, 1. Bases on balls—Off Smith, 2; off Johnson, 4; off Chech, 1. Runs responsible for—Smith, 4; Chech, 1. Five hits, 5 runs, 8 at bat, off Smith in 2-3 of an inning. Charge defeat to Smith. Double plays—Hosp, unassisted; Downs to Corhan to Koerner; Mitchell to Mathes to Borton. Time of game—1h. 25m. Umpire—Finner.

DOG SHOW.

The Golden Gate Kennel Club will hold its ninth annual dog show in the San Francisco Exposition Auditorium May 2-4, the entry list closing April 24. The exhibition is being held under the direction of R. C. Halsted of Pasadena.

Vernon Tigers Administer Trouncing to Seals and Grab Lead

Big League Swatters Begin to Find Pellet.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

BOSTON TAKES TWO

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, April 19.—Boston took both morning and afternoon games today from New York. Bush pitched his first game for Boston this morning, holding New York to four hits and won, 2 to 1.

NEW YORK.	AB	R	H	O	A	BOSTON.	AB	R	H	O	A
G'hooley,rf	3	0	0	2	0	Hooper,rf	4	0	1	2	0
Vick,rf	2	1	2	0	0	Shean,2b	4	1	1	2	5
Miller,cf	4	0	1	2	0	Hoblitzell,1b	4	0	1	9	0
Pratt,3b	4	1	4	2	5	Hob'hell,1b	4	1	0	10	1
Pipp,1b	3	1	0	12	1	McInnis,3b	4	0	0	2	0
Baker,2b	4	0	1	2	4	W'man,lf	4	0	1	1	0
Bodie,lf	3	1	2	0	0	Scott,ss	4	1	0	2	4
P'daugh,ss	4	1	1	1	2	Agnew,c	3	1	1	4	2
Hannah,c	4	0	1	7	0	Ruth,p	3	1	1	1	4
Caldwell,p	0	0	0	0	0						
Thomas,p	2	0	0	0	0						
Ward,x	1	0	0	0	0						
Monroe,p	0	0	0	0	1						
Beck,xx	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	37	5	13	24	20	Totals	32	9	8	27	15

x—Batted for Thormahlen in seventh.
xx—Batted for Monroe in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
New York	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	— 2
Boston	1	0	0	0	5	1	3	0	x	— 9

SUMMARY.

Errors—Pratt, 3; Pipp, Baker, Monroe. Two-base hits—Pratt, 2; Whiteman, Baker, Agnew. Stolen bases—Bodie, Scott, Hooper, Hoblitzell, Whiteman. Sacrifice hits—Shean, Agnew. Double plays—Monroe to Pechinpaugh to Pipp; Ruth to Scott to Hoblitzell. Bases on balls—Off Caldwell, 1; off Monroe, 2; off Ruth, 1. Innings pitched—By Caldwell, 2-3; by Thormahlen, 5 1-3; by Monroe, 2. Struck out—By Monroe, 1; by Ruth, 4.

PITCHING DUEL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Washington defeated Philadelphia, 1 to 0, in a pitching duel between Ayers and Gregg. Gregg's only base on balls, Shotton's single and an error by Shannon filled the bases in the ninth and Shanks' hit decided the game. The score:

PHILADELPHIA.	AB	R	H	O	A	WASHINGTON.	AB	R	H	O	A
Kopp,lf	3	0	1	1	0	Shotton,rf	4	0	2	3	0
Jan'son,rf	2	0	1	0	0	Foster,3b	4	0	0	2	1
Jardine,2b	4	0	1	2	2	Milan,cf	4	0	0	2	0
Burns,1b	4	0	2	12	1	Shanks,lf	4	0	1	1	0
Walker,cf	4	0	0	2	0	Judge,1b	3	0	0	8	1
Shannon,2b	3	0	0	2	3	Morgan,2b	3	0	0	3	3
Dugan,ss	3	0	1	2	3	Lavan,ss	3	0	0	2	3
McAvoy,c	3	0	0	7	1	Ainsmith,c	3	0	0	5	0
Gregg,p	2	0	0	0	4	Ayers,p	2	1	1	0	4
Totals	29	0	8	26	15	Totals	30	1	3	27	14

Two out when winning run scored.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 0
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	— 1

SUMMARY.

Errors—Burns, Shannon, 2; Morgan. Two-base hit—Burns. Stolen bases—Milan, Jamieson. Sacrifice hits—Dugan, Gregg. Double plays—Foster to Judge; Gardner to Shannon to Burns; Shanks to Lavan to Ainsmith. Bases on balls—Off Ayers, 3; off Gregg, 1. Struck out—By Gregg, 1; by Ayers, 1.

LENGTHY GAME.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 19.—Meusel, a Philadelphia recruit, hit Hughes' first pitch to him for a drive into the left field bleachers in the tenth inning today and beat Boston, 4 to 3. Ordinarily the drive would have counted a home run, but Whitted scored the winning run from first base, which he had gained on Rawlings' fumble. The score:

BOSTON.	AB	R	H	O	A	PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	O	A
Massey,lf	4	1	1	2	0	Bancroft,ss	4	0	1	1	4
Hersog,ss	5	1	1	1	3	M'G'ian,2b	4	1	2	0	4
Powell,rf	4	0	2	1	0	Stock,3b	4	0	0	1	4
Walker,1b	4	0	1	10	0	Cravath,rf	4	0	0	4	0
Smith,3b	4	0	1	2	0	Ludeus,1b	4	1	1	14	2
Wickland,rf	3	0	0	2	0	Whitted,lf	4	1	0	1	0
Mealy,c	3	0	0	6	0	Aitken,cf	4	0	1	5	0
Meusel,cf	4	1	1	1	0	Burns,c	3	0	0	2	3
Gregg,p	4	0	0	1	4	Pernall,p	3	0	0	2	5
Totals	37	3	7	28	12	Totals	33	4	7	30	20

x—Ran for Henry in ninth.
One out when winning run scored.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	— 3
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	— 4

SUMMARY.

Errors—Rawlings, Bancroft, Stock, Luderus. Two-base hits—Massey, Powell, Pernall. Three-base hit—Meusel. Home runs—Hughes, Luderus. Double plays—Powell to Smith; Hersog to Rawlings to Konetchy. Bases on balls—Off Hughes, 1; off Prendergast, 2. Struck out—By Hughes, 2; by Prendergast, 3.

THREE STRAIGHT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—The New York Giants made it three straight from Brooklyn here today, winning the last game of the series, 7 to 5.

BROOKLYN.	AB	R	H	O	A	NEW YORK.	AB	R	H	O	A
Olsen,ss	4	0	1	2	2	Young,rf	4	2	1	1	0
O'Mara,2b	4	0	1	2	3	Kauff,cf	4	1	2	2	0
Daubert,1b	5	1	2	9	0	Burns,lf	4	1	2	2	0
Mitchell,rf	4	0	1	1	0	Thorpe,lf	1	1	1	0	0
Johnston,lf	4	1	2	2	1	E'man,3b	4	0	2	2	0
Hickman,cf	3	0	1	2	0	Doyle,2b	3	0	1	2	6
Sch'nolt,2b	4	0	0	2	2	Fletcher,ss	3	0	1	1	7
Krueger,c	3	0	0	4	1	Holke,1b	4	0	1	11	0
Grimes,p	1	0	0	0	1	McCarty,c	2	0	1	3	0
Miller,x	1	0	0	0	0	Demaree,p	2	0	0	0	1
Grimes,p	0	0	0	0	0	Sallee,p	0	0	0	0	1
M.Wheat,xx	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	37	5	11	24	10	Totals	33	7	14	27	10

x—Batted for Grimes in fifth.
xx—Batted for Grimes in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	— 5
New York	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	1	1	— 7

SUMMARY.

Errors—Schmandt, Krueger, Demaree. Two-base hits—Holke, Doyle, Schmandt. Three-base hit—Daubert. Stolen bases—Fletcher, Doyle, Burns, 2. Sacrifice hit—Doyle. Double plays—Krueger to Schmandt; Fletcher to Doyle to Holke. Innings pitched—By Grimes, 4; by Grimes, 4; by Demaree, 7 2-3; by Sallee, 1 1-3. Struck out—By Grimes, 4; by Grimes, 2; by Sallee, 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

LONG BEACH STILL LEADER OF LEAGUE.

THREE PEPPERY GAMES ARE PLAYED IN RANKS OF THE PREPS.

Team.	Won.	Lost.	Pc.
Long Beach	6	0	1.000
Manual Arts	4	1	.800
Polytechnic	4	1	.800
Whittier	2	2	.500
Jefferson	2	3	.400
L. A. High	2	3	.400
Pasadena	1	4	.200
Hollywood	0	5	.167

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Long Beach, 2; Pasadena, 0.
Whittier, 11; Jefferson, 7.
Manual, 1; Hollywood, 0.
Poly-Lincoln, forfeited to Poly.

Manual Arts defeated Hollywood yesterday afternoon on the Foothillers' diamond by the freak score of 17 to 7. Two pitchers were used by Hollywood, but the onslaught could not be stopped. Everett, Kramer and Rogers starred at bat for Manual, while Packman, Sentous and Thomlinson received honors for the Foothillers. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	7	11	4
Manual Arts	17	22	11
Batteries—Backer, Wheeler and Thomlinson; Dudley and M. Loyd.			

Whittier took the Jefferson High nine down the line yesterday, defeating the plucky little school, 11 to 7. The game was played at Whittier. Errors practically gave the game to the Poets. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Whittier	11	7	2
Jefferson	7	7	4
Batteries—Stanley and Schrist; Swearingen, Howe and Sattler.			

Long Beach handed a 2-to-0 shutout to Pasadena on the home grounds of the latter, Buckley of the Mermen proving extraordinarily effective on the mound. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Long Beach	2	5	1
Pasadena	0	3	2
Batteries—Buckley and Lawson; Webster and Biddle.			

TIED FOR LEAD.

Joe Lacy and Maynard Laswell became tied for first place in the L.A.A.C. round-robin handball yesterday when Laswell defeated Jack Nest by a 62-14 score. Lacy and Laswell are accredited with 126 points apiece.

BASEBALL STANDINGS.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pc.		W.	L.	Pc.
Vernon	11	9	.647	Salt Lake	9	9	.471
Oakland	10	7	.588	S. Francisco	7	9	.438
Sacramento	8	7	.533	Los Angeles	6	12	.333

Yesterday's Results.

Vernon, 7; San Francisco, 1.
Los Angeles, 5; Salt Lake, 0.
Sacramento, 9; Oakland, 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pc.		W.	L.	Pc.
Boston	0	0	1.000	St. Louis	1	1	.500
Cleveland	1	0	1.000	New York	2	2	.400
Washington	2	2	.500	Philadelphia	0	4	.000
Chicago	1	1	.500	Detroit	0	1	.000

Yesterday's Results.

Boston, 2; New York, 1 (morning game.)
Boston, 9; New York, 5 (afternoon game.)
Washington, 1; Philadelphia, 0.
Detroit-Cleveland postponed, cold.
Chicago-St. Louis postponed, cold.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pc.		W.	L.	Pc.
New York	2	0	1.000	Boston	1	2	.333
Cincinnati	2	1	.667	Pittsburgh	1	2	.333
Philadelphia	2	1	.667	Chicago	0	2	.333
St. Louis	1	1	.500	Brooklyn	0	3	.000

Yesterday's Results.

New York, 7; Brooklyn, 5.
Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 3.
St. Louis-Chicago postponed, rain.
Pittsburgh-Cincinnati postponed, cold.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

Chattanooga, 7; Atlanta, 4.
Nashville, 2; Birmingham, 4.
New Orleans, 3; Mobile, 2.
Memphis, 11; Little Rock, 1 (called 11 innings, darkness.)

Busy.

TEN NIFTY FLIGHTS ARE PLAYED IN GOLF TOURNEY.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

THE Southern California golf championship spread itself into ten flights yesterday and golf records become a maze of names and figures for a wretched scribe. They defy frisky effervescence and engender mere snorts.

In the championship flight Harold B. Lamb found a valiant fighter in Thomas McCall and won a victory only by 2 up and 1. Robin Skelley defeated Dr. J. H. Warner, 4 and 3, and plays Lamb in the thirty-six-hole semi-finals today. R. J. Cash, Jr., defeated George Cline, 3 and 2, and Lee Collins won from E. N. T. Burnett, 3 and 2. Cash and Collins play the semi-finals today.

In the defeated sixteen of the championship flight, Lewellyn Bixby beat H. Robinson, 3 and 2; Frank Tatum beat W. E. Harper, 1 up; A. B. Barret won from Frank Hudson, 4 and 3, and M. Tootles won from Marion R. Gray, 1 up. Tatum and Bixby, Barret and Tootles play the semi-finals and finals today.

In the second flight J. S. Mather won from W. E. Farnsworth, 4 and 3; J. H. Moulton from R. Reid, 5 and 4; J. C. Black from A. S. Rendall, 2 and 1, and McMullen from Pederson, 2 and 1. Mather and Moulton, Black and McMullen play this morning.

In the third flight W. S. Bicksler won from A. Brown, 4 and 3; L. Wallace from S. S. Wold, 5 and 3; J. M. Walker from J. E. S. Heath, 1 up, and J. W. Burns from O. A. Leach, 3 and 1. Bicksler and Wallace, Walker and Burns play this morning.

In the fourth flight Howard Schoder won from W. G. Hunt, 2 and 1; Arthur Letts, Jr., from C. Harrison, 6 and 5; W. G. Yerby from F. J. Crosier, 4 and 2, and J. S. Aborn from F. Browning, Jr., 3 and 2. Schoder plays Letts, and Yerby plays Aborn this morning.

In the losing sixteen of the championship flight J. T. Gilmer won from L. W. Wenison, 3 and 1; Kleinberger won from W. B. Cameron by default; Ed Tufts from Aitkens, 4 and 3, and J. C. Niven a bye. Gilmer and Kleinberger, Tufts and Niven play this morning.

In the losing eight of the losing sixteen of the championship flight E. G. Twist defeated F. B. Browning, 2 up, and F. A. Keith defeated E. R. Gamble, 2 up. Keith plays Twist this morning.

In the defeated eight of the second sixteen flight, Thomas McNab defeated H. V. Gifford, 1 up; J. F. Carlisle defeated H. G. Chaffee, 2 up; T. Garner defeated W. L. Morrow, 3 and 2, and C. H. Way defeated Osborne-Smith, 5 and 4. McNab and Carlisle, Garner and Way play this morning.

In the third defeated eight H. Chapman defeated Morris Phillips, 2 and 1; A. M. Gamble defeated E. P. Wardman, 1 up; W. K. Parkinson defeated E. C. Bosbyshell, 1 up, and C. W. Roberts defeated T. E. Schramm, 2 and 1. Chapman and Gamble, Parkinson and Roberts play today.

In the fourth defeated eight Phillip Forve, Jr., beat W. H. Burnham, 6 and 4; A. C. Twist has a bye, and Dr. Kellogg beat W. W. Comstock, 5 and 4. Twist plays Forve, and Kellogg plays the winner today.

The championship flight plays thirty-six-hole semi-finals today and thirty-six-hole finals on Sunday. All other flights play eighteen-hole semi-finals and finals today.

BROTHER OF COBB BECOMES MARINE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DETROIT, April 19.—John Paul Cobb, a brother of the famous Ty, is going to carry the reputation of the world's champion batsman overseas. Cobb enlisted at Detroit in the Marine Corps. He made quite a reputation as a baseball player in the minor leagues.

ANOTHER ANGLE OF WILLARD-FULTON FIGHT UNEARTHED.

ACCORDING to Dick Burke, associated with Dominick Tortorich in boxing interests in New Orleans, no other city in America has a chance to get the big scrap except the Crescent City. Burke declares that Willard has faithfully promised Tortorich that he would draw up a contract with no other promoter but him.

Burke also stated that the big bout would come off on Thanksgiving night. Louisiana has a law allowing twenty-round bouts. As the racing starts in New Orleans on Thanksgiving Day, a big house would be assured, as many visitors go to New Orleans to play the ponies, and the city is filled with strangers when the sport begins.

SENATORS TAKE FOURTH CONFLICT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—Sacramento took the fourth game of the series from Oakland, five hits off Kremer in the first inning netting four runs. Calderа, relieving Kremer, also was hit freely, nine hits being obtained off his delivery. Miller got three hits in four trips to the plate, including a two-bagger. The score:

SACRAMENTO.	AB	R	H	O	A	OAKLAND.	AB	R	H	O	A
Eldred,rf	4	1	1	3	1	Keffer,rf	4	0	0	3	1
Rodgers,2b	4	2	1	1	4	Mid'ton,lf	3	0	0	1	0
Willie,lf	5	2	3	1	0	Miller,cf	4	1	3	1	0
Grigg,1b	5	1	1	15	1	Gardner,1b	4	0	1	11	1
Easterly,rf	3	1	1	1	0	Ariett,3b	2	0	0	2	1
Fisher,c	5	2	2	7	1	C'ston,2b	4	0	0	3	3
Pinelli,3b	5	1	1	1	5	Croll,ss	3	0	0	1	5
Elliott,ss	3	0	0	4	2	Mitze,c	1	0	0	4	1
Brenton,p	4	0	0	0	2	Kremer,p	1	0	0	0	2
						Calderа,p	2	0	1	0	2
						Hawks,x	1	0	0	0	0
						B'under,3b	2	0	0	1	1
						Murray,c	1	1	0	0	0
						Lockhart,1f	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	42	10	14	27	19	Totals	35	2	6	27	17

x—Batted for Mitze in sixth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Sacramento	4	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	1	— 10
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	— 2

SUMMARY.

Errors—Elliott, Croll, 2; Calderа, Bellander. Two-base hits—Willie, 2; Miller, Eldred, Rodgers, Elliott, Murray, Pinelli. Bases on balls—Off Calderа, 2. Struck out—By Kremer, 2; by Calderа, 1; by Brenton, 2. Runs responsible for—Kremer, 3; Brenton, 2; Calderа, 2.

SWIMMERS COMING.

Miss Claire Galligan of New York and Miss Boyle of Indianapolis, two of the speediest women swimmers in the United States, will appear in a programme to be given at the L.A.A.C. on the evening of May 3. The women's national diving championships will take place at the L.A.A.C. some time during June.

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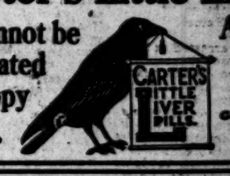
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TIGERS STEP INTO LEAD; BILL ESSICK DELIGHTED.

"WELL, we're in the lead, Tom," smiled Bill Essick, manager of the fighting Tigers as he grasped the hand of Tom Darmody when the owner of the Bengals told him Sacramento had beaten Oakland. The two had met in the Vernon office after the game. Bill had a little addition to the foregoing statement, and it ran something like this: "and we're going to stay there."

Essick is delighted with the way his boys are going, especially

APRIL 20, 1918.—[PART

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AIGHT.

Too Good.

MORMON CREW IS HELPLE

Angels Awake and Shut Bee Aggregation.

Curly Brown is Smiling of the Day.

Poor Support Given by Clubs.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE

SALT LAKE (Utah) April
Against "Curly" Brown's
side delivery, Salt Lake had
a chance today, while "Ruby"
was more or less easy
Angels. Los Angeles was
counter 3 to 0.

Brown's bending featured
throughout. He dished up
the rarest assortments of
twists and curves found in
ing catalogue allowing only
all singles. He gave one
of the last four rounds.
ball was perhaps the most
ing thing he offered, but
straight fast balls were best
for the Bee batters to
In addition the Cherubic
played splendid control,
but two passes. Only two
Credle's hirelings passed

If Salt Lake ever had a
to do any damage they won
in the seventh and eighth
The first man up in each
rounds, Crandall in the
Sheely in the eighth, singled
dall reached second when
ficed, but the Bee third
too far off the bag and was
flatfooted. Chappelle field
In the eighth Sheely
ball to left of center,
ing holding the blow to
Mike Konnick upset calcula
a Bee count in this
he rammed a sizzling liner
for a double play. Ev
out from Pepe to Fournier.

DETERMINED.

The Angels opened on
out preliminary skirmishing
walked and stole second
Terry's long single to
vading manager rounded
came home an eyelash
Ryan's throw in. Terry
advantage of the play
negotiated second and
when Fournier rolled a
to Sheely. He counted
ford's out from Orr to

LOS ANGELES	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Killefer, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Terry, ss	4	1	2	3	5	0
Chappelle, lf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Crandall, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Zeltz, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Cooper, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Orr, 1b	4	0	0	9	1	0
Pepe, 3b	4	0	0	3	2	0
Brown, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	32	2	7	27	16	0

SALT LAKE	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Fournier, 1b	4	0	1	11	0	0
Sheely, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Konnick, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Chadbourne, ss	4	0	0	2	3	0
Fisher, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Kocher, c	4	0	1	5	0	0
Hasty, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Ryan, cf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Bedford, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	34	1	5	27	11	0

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Los Angeles	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Salt Lake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

SUMMARY.

Errors—Killefer, Orr. Two-base hits—Cooper, Konnick. Sacrifice hits—Orr, Bedford. Stolen bases—Terry, Cooper, Fisher. Double plays—Killefer, Terry and Orr; Hasty, Chadbourne and Fournier. Left on bases—Los Angeles, 7; Salt Lake, 4. Bases on balls—Off Brown, 4; off Bedford, 2. Struck out—By Brown, 4; by Bedford, 2. Hit by pitcher—By Brown, 1 (Ryan). Double plays—Terry to Killefer to Orr; Ryan to Konnick.

Ominous.

ISH TO FIGHT CONSCRIPTION.

of Conflicting Politics Together in Dublin.

Resolution Similar to One Bishops Framed.

Call the Law Inhuman; Seek Contributions.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 19.—The confer
of Irish Nationalists, Sinn Fein
O'Brienites and laborites, held
Dublin under the chairmanship
the Lord Mayor yesterday, unani
passed a resolution declar
their determination to resist con
tion. The resolution was sim
to the one adopted by the Irish
ates at Maynooth earlier in the

In their resolution the bishops de
ed that conscription was being
ed on Ireland, and that it was
oppressive and inhuman law,
ch the Irish people have the right
resist "by all means consonant
the law of God." The Irish
y was directed to announce
for receiving contributions of
, and parish meetings will be
n next Sunday to gain adherents
the resolution.

The authorities in Ireland are tak
steps to deal with the situation,
ch, to say the least, is threaten

STRANGE BEDFELLOWS.

For the first time in many years
Nationalists met the Dublin Sinn
ers and their older enemies.
ssrs. O'Brien and Timothy Healy,
the labor representatives, who
ve not been very friendly to the
nalists in recent years, also
e present at the conference.
committee, composed of John
, Edward de Valera, Timothy
y and a Labor representative,
ted the Lord Mayor of Dublin, was
ructed to attend the bishops'
ting at Maynooth, where the reso
ion quoted was adopted.

e meetings also directed that
meetings should be held in
parish next Sunday, at which a
ge should be administered in the
m of the resolution.

Masses of intercession also will be
d in every Catholic church.

MILITARY HEAD ARRIVES.

Field Marshal Lord French, com
der-in-chief of the forces in the
ted Kingdom, arrived in Dublin
day with his staff.

The Nationalists, or at least the
ority of them, are understood to
e decided to abstain from attend
in the House of Commons dur
the crisis, thus adopting the at
de of the Sinn Feiners, who never
ded to Parliament, but have never
pted.

The Labor Council at Sydney, N.S.
s has adopted a resolution to send
cable message to Premier Lloyd
orge requesting the British gov
ment to reconsider its decision to
y conscription to Ireland, says
Exchange Telegraph dispatch
m the Australian city. The ground
the objection is that the con
ption measure is considered un
ted and that it would cause grave
ulations.

Mr. Thomas McCarten has been
ted without opposition to the
se of Commons for the Tulla
division of Kings county, Ire
d, he is a Sinn Feiner.

Mr. McCarten was arrested at Halli
ax last fall and brought to New
rk to be arraigned on the charge
having obtained an American
sport fraudulently. He came to
United States as a representa
e of the Sinn Fein leaders, and,
ording to the Federal authorities
New York, was seeking to return
land with a view to bringing
t a recurrence of the Easter
ing riots in Dublin in 1916, when
was arrested. He was taken into
tody last December and released
$7500 bail.
case is still pending.

WILDERMENT HIT TRADERS IN COTTON.

RANGE EXPERIENCES MOST SPECTACULAR FLUCTUATION IN ITS HISTORY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 18.—The New
Cotton Exchange was the
day of some of the most
ular price fluctuations in its

ntradicting advices affecting the
ket bewildered the traders and
h buying or selling caused sud
corresponding advances and de
ines, one sensational break extend
more than $9 a bale. One of
ing factors in the trading was
report from Washington received
after the late trading that a bill
s introduced into the House
the price of cotton at 20 cents

There were opening advances of
35 to 40 points in the more
y months on a continuation of
covering movement which had
inspired by the bullish crop
ort advices of the preceding
, rumors of price fixing or
rnment regulation of some kind
ded and over night buy
orders were quickly supplied.
the end of the morning prices
ged 110 to 135 points net lower.
ing pressure then appeared
ket and there were rallies of
to 80 points on covering, but
e was unsettled.

Washington news was fol
by a break of fully a cent
within five minutes. July
ed for instance, sold off from
to 3300, making a decline of
points from the closing price of
day and a break of more
$9 a bale from the high level
the morning.

The close was 25 to 50 points up
the lowest on covering, bu
the losses of 107 to 115
for the day. There was a
around the ring here that
e is to fix the price of raw cot
at 20 cents had little chance of
. The prospect for govern
action of some sort, however,
considered more seriously.

Orders Enemy Aliens.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) April 19.—
ll enemy aliens will be excluded from
ployment in Illinois institutions,
der the Civil Service Commission
ed today. All such persons now
ployed will be discharged at
e, it was announced.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT CHARGES DISMISSED.

CHICAGO PROFESSOR IS RELEASED; ALSO THE PRETTY WIFE OF SOLDIER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, April 19.—The charge of disorderly conduct against Prof. William Isaac Thomas and Mrs. R. M. Granger was dismissed by Judge Graham in the Morals Court today. Attorney Clarence Darrow, of the defense, was upheld in his contention that although the elderly sociologist and the pretty young wife of an army officer were found in a room together at a hotel, this did not constitute disorderly conduct.

A. Bruce Bielaski, of the Department of Justice at Washington, has agents at work gathering every possible scrap of evidence concerning the relations of the pair which may show possible violation of the Mann Act.

Mrs. Granger's husband, a lieutenant in the Signal Corps, sailed for France last February, and almost immediately the friendship between her and Prof. Thomas began.

The betrayal of the soldier husband, admitted by the defense today, has greatly intensified the interest felt in the case by Mr. Bielaski.

ARGUE OIL CASES.

Federal Judge Bledsoe Hears Lawyers' Arguments on "Fraud" Actions in North.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—The Southern Pacific Railroad Company secured 162,000 acres of rich oil lands along its rights of way in Southern California through fraud and deception, Judge J. C. Biggs, special assistant to the United States Attorney-General, told United States District Judge Bledsoe here today in the government's suit to recover these lands.

Attorney Charles R. Lewars argued for the company that when the lands were secured under a series of Congressional land grant acts there were no methods obtaining whereby it could be established that the land contained minerals.

The case is now in the final argument stage. It is expected that these presentations will take ten days more.

The value of the lands involved had been variously estimated by government officials at between $500,000,000 and $1,000,000,000. Apart from the return of the lands, the government seeks an accounting of the oil taken therefrom.

OWNERS RESPONSIBLE.

Liability for Upkeep of Auto Stage Vehicles Decided by Railroad Commission.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—Responsibility for the upkeep and good service of cars in automobile stage lines was placed on the owners or lessors of such lines, instead of the operators or sublessors, in an order issued by the State Railroad Commission here today.

The commission held that the present system of allowing such operators or sublessors to run the cars on a percentage basis and take the responsibility for the upkeep of such cars, is not in the interests of public service. According to the order, all public automobile stage lines must either buy their equipment or lease it for a specified amount on a trip or term basis within the next four months. The practice of leasing equipment or employing operators on a percentage basis was ordered stopped.

The order followed hearings in San Francisco and Los Angeles.

NO INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN PASSENGERS.

SURVIVOR OF LUSITANIA TELLS WHAT HAPPENED AFTER TORPEDOING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—The assertion that no special instructions were given the passengers who sailed on the Lusitania on her last trip to be on the alert against danger, was made in Federal court here today by James H. Brooks, of Bridgeport, Ct., one of the survivors, who testified in the proceedings brought by the Cunard company for a limitation of liability in damage suits amounting to $6,000,000, growing out of the disaster.

The witness, who said he was on deck when the torpedo struck, declared that no drills were held during the voyage and that he was not assigned to any particular lifeboat. The men who attempted to lower the boats after the torpedo struck, he testified, appeared to be unfamiliar with their duties. Port holes were open during the voyage and at the time of the torpedoing, the witness declared.

REQUEST CONTRACTORS TO ASSIST AVIATION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 19.—Announcement that an appeal was being made to private contractors to discontinue building operations here for two weeks to release men for construction work on the government aviation camp being established at Mills Station, near here, was made today by H. S. Maddox, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

He said the government had been unable to obtain carpenters, and construction work at the camp was being delayed seriously.

NO LOAFING IN RHODE ISLAND.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PROVIDENCE (R. I.) April 19.—Gov. Beeckman today signed an act passed by the General Assembly, requiring every man between the ages of 18 and 50 years to be employed for at least thirty-six hours a week.

GERMANS MUTINY AGAIN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, April 19.—A dispatch from Rindhoven says that another mutiny broke out at Beverloo camp, in the province of Limbourg, Belgium, among the German troops when ordered to the British front in France. A number of the mutineers were shot, the dispatch adds, but the resistance continued.

Showed Him.

LOYALTY PARTY VISITS TEUTON.

Flag Concealed in His Grocery Hung in Front.

Five Oakland Educators Accused by Students.

Pro-German Confab Held in Park is Overheard.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—Forty complaints against Oakland residents on the ground of disloyalty and unpatriotic utterances will be investigated by the Federal grand jury next week, it became known today. Federal investigators have been at work on the cases for some time, it was said.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OAKLAND, April 19.—A "loyalty party" consisting of Charles Haines, secretary of the Oakland War Service League; Col. G. C. Higgins, Cecil Hitchcock, W. E. Castro, organizer for the American Federation of Labor; F. H. Butler, and W. S. Simmons, all members of the league, went in an automobile today to the store run by H. Wassman, an Austrian, and forced him to fly a flag from the premises. Wassman protested his patriotism and showed the delegation a flag in the rear of the store, where it was partly concealed by groceries. He was made to bring it to the front of the store and the delegation affixed two more flags to the building.

Depositions taken from students, teachers, and investigators, charging five teachers in the Technical High School of this city with furthering pro-German propaganda in the school, were turned over today by the local school department to the Department of Justice. The witnesses, including teachers and students, name the five concerned in an alleged "pro-German ring."

Among the evidence was that of two High School boys who hid during a meeting of the accused teachers and heard their conversation. The school department has demanded the arrest of the teachers if the government decides the evidence is sufficient. The names of the teachers were withheld pending Federal action.

For some time there has been complaint by parents that their children showed evidence of having been subjected to a persistent German propaganda. In its investigation the school board found itself hampered by inability to prove that the complaints were not based on circumstances arising from the teaching of German, which will not be discontinued until the end of this term.

However, one of the older pupils of Technical High has been studying German and he and two or three friends, according to statements made to the school board, followed certain teachers to Mosswood Park and hid in the shrubbery and overheard conversations carried on wholly in German. It was the disclosures made by these boys that led to the present investigation.

SEDITION ACT TAKES IN ALIEN WOMEN, TOO.

WILSON SIGNS BILL REQUIRING REGISTRATION OF ALIEN WOMEN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—President Wilson signed today a bill extending provisions of the Espionage Act to women and requiring registration of women enemy aliens.

Within a few days the President is expected to issue a proclamation declaring women subjects of enemy countries subject to arrest and internment and ordering German women to leave Washington at some definite future time. Women enemy aliens also will be forbidden to approach docks, wharves and warehouses under the same restrictions now imposed on enemy alien males.

GERMAN PAPERS CUT OUT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 19.—The City Council yesterday passed a resolution directing the heads of all city departments to discontinue advertising of every kind in newspapers published in the German language.

DECLARED ENEMY WORK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

DILLON (Mont.) April 19.—Dynamite was found on the railroad tracks near here yesterday. County authorities declared it had been placed on the rail by pro-German enemies with intent to blow up trains and called on all residents today to act as special officers in reporting suspicious persons and seditious statements.

An attempt was made recently to break into the powder supply house west of the city.

"RED SHIRT" GORDON MAY BE CAPTIVE NOW.

MAN BELIEVED TO BE ESCAPED CONVICT IS IN CUSTODY AT CHICAGO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 19.—Photographs and a description of "Red Shirt" Gordon, one of the thirteen convicts who escaped from Folsom penitentiary, near here, in July, 1903, when two guards and three convicts were killed in a break for liberty by a large number of prison inmates, have been mailed to Chicago, where a man believed to be Gordon is being held, Warden J. J. Smith announced today.

Two of the thirteen escaped convicts were hanged after their recapture, another ended his life, and five others were returned to complete their sentences while five, including Gordon, have never been captured.

The last information concerning Gordon, who was sentenced from Sacramento to serve forty-five years on a burglary charge, was to the effect that he had been killed in a town in Missouri during an attempt to rob a grocery store. This was in August, 1908.

A HERO EVERY DAY.

Brave Deeds of the Men in America's Fighting Service.

Many times every year American seamen risk their lives in trying to save others. Charles J. Jones, an oiler on the U.S.S. Machias, has just been commended for such an act. He saw a British enlisted man fall overboard from a neighboring ship, and diving in fully clothed, brought the man to safety. Jones enlisted in the navy in 1913 at San Diego, Cal., where his wife now resides.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Raining in West Central and Gulf States; Snowing in Kansas.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, April 19.—West Central States had general rains today, but the East and East Central group enjoyed a respite. Kansas boasted the distinction of the only snowstorm in the country. Heavy rains fell in the Gulf Coast State.

Maximum temperature in Chicago was 39 deg., minimum 31 deg. All the East and East Central States and most of the West Central group continue cold, several degrees below normal.

Temperatures generally yesterday, as reported by the United States Weather Bureau in Los Angeles, were:

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	64	44	Pemeca	*68	48
Boise	56	36	Portland, Or.	78	50
Boston	46	34	Rapid City	58	30
Buffalo	40	24	Red Bluff	84	56
Denver	56	28	Redlands	*82	54
Des Moines	42	30	Reno	76	34
Dodge City	62	30	Riverside	*85	54
Eureka	78	54	Roseburg	84	
Flagstaff	50	30	Roswell	84	34
Fresno	82	60	St. Louis	44	42
Galveston	54	34	St. Paul	46	24
Havre	50	28	Sacramento	80	52
Helena	50	26	Salt Lake City	52	34
Huron	48	30	Santa Barbara	*80	48
Independence	74	40	S. Bernardino	*81	50
Kamloops	72	38	San Diego	78	62
Kansas City	58	34	San Francisco	62	46
Knoxville	78	54	S. Luis Obispo	84	50
Los Angeles	82	60	Seattle	70	48
Memphis	76	52	Spokane	70	36
Modena	74	32	Tampa	68	
Mt. Wilson	*67	48	Tonopah	60	36
Needles	92	56	Tucson	78	46
New Orleans	74	54	Washington	46	34
New York	54	38	Winnemucca	60	30
North Head	58	50	Winnipeg	54	32
Oklahoma	70	44	Yuma	84	54
Pasadena	*84	56			
Phoenix	78	50			
Pittsburgh	56	34	*Previous day.		

POLITICS IN AUSTRIA EXTREMELY DELICATE.

SITUATION IS CAPABLE OF ANY POSSIBILITY, SAYS SWISS DISPATCH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The political situation in Austria-Hungary remains extremely delicate, according to an official dispatch from Switzerland, summarizing reports from Budapest and comment in Austrian and German newspapers.

Austria, the dispatch said, is coming to the greatest difficulties; security no longer exists and the situation "is capable of any possibility."

Marked discontent reigns in Vienna, according to the dispatch, while speeches delivered in Parliament by the Czechs, Jugo-Slavs and Poles inspire hatred of Germany and demand reorganization of Austria-Hungary. Even the Social Democrats are said to have proclaimed in the Austrian Chamber of Deputies that the monarchy is not directly interested in the struggle of Germany against Great Britain, France and America.

MAY DAY STRIKE LOOMS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, April 19.—The Telegraaf reports that the German Socialist party in Austria has decided that work shall be stopped May 1 throughout the country, and that demonstrations in favor of peace shall be held.

Baron Burian, on assuming office as Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, according to a Vienna dispatch, declared to his staff that his policy would be the same as that of Count Czernin, his predecessor.

PRAEGER TELLS WHY MAIL IS CONGESTED.

POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT NOT TAKEN INTO CONFIDENCE, HE DECLARES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Failure of the War Department, for military reasons, to take postal authorities into their confidence in the movement of troops was given by Second Assistant Postmaster-General Praeger before a house investigating committee today as the reason for delay in the delivery of mail to American soldiers in France.

"If we cannot be given full information about the troops the army must take over the distribution of mail after it reaches France," Mr. Praeger said.

Mail from the United States to soldiers in Europe went at the rate of 4,000,000 pieces a month before restriction was placed on parcel post packages, Mr. Praeger said. In December 20,000 letters were found undelivered at a French station, some postmarked in July. The rapid movement of troops abroad with only the army having knowledge of the change has caused congestion in the delivery of mail, he said, adding that one division of troops in France for which there was a large amount of mail completely disappeared so far as the postal authorities had knowledge.

BRIEF IN MOONEY'S BEHALF RECEIVED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 19.—A brief prepared by his counsel to support the application for a pardon for Thomas J. Mooney, sentenced to hang upon his conviction of a charge of murder growing out of the preparedness day bomb explosion in San Francisco, July 22, 1916, was received today from San Francisco by Gov. Stephens.

Photographs purporting to show Mooney and his wife, Rena Mooney, and intended to substantiate the claim of innocence set forth in the document were filed with the brief.

To 75,000.

WILL AUGMENT MARINE CORPS.

House Membership Agrees to Amendment of Bill.

Purpose is to Get More Sea Soldiers to France.

Great Lakes Naval Training Station to Lead All.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Increase of the Marine Corps strength to 75,500 men was voted by the House today to enable the navy to put an entire division of the sea soldiers at the front with Pershing's expeditionary forces. Provision for the increase, which would add about 50 per cent. to the enlisted personnel, was approved by the Naval Committee and promptly was made a part of the naval appropriation bill under consideration in the House.

The action was based on a recommendation from Gen. Pershing that the brigade of marines now attached to his force be raised to a complete division.

BILL CARRIES $1,352,608,673.

With an appropriation of $25,000,000 to take care of the additional number of marines, the bill carries in all $1,352,608,673. House leaders predicted its passage tomorrow.

While the committee amendment does not specifically state that a major-general is to go to the front, it provides for a major-general of marines, besides the present major-general commanding, and who would be available for service overseas. The present major-general would remain as administrative head here.

The committee also agreed to an appropriation of $877,000 for purchase of additional land at the Great Lakes naval training station near Chicago, to make it the largest station of its kind in the world.

BAKER CONVINCED.

The fight over the Marine Corps increase was precipitated in the House a fortnight ago when Representative Britten, a member of the Naval Affairs Committee, demanded that more marines be sent to the fighting lines. The War Department cabled to Secretary Baker, then in France, and to Gen. Pershing, recommending reconsideration of the decision against having more marines at the front, with the result that an increase was recommended.

Secretary Daniels favored increasing the present strength to 30,000 marines to 62,000, but Maj.-Gen. Barnett, commanding the marines, asked for 75,000, and the committee voted unanimously in favor of his request.

It was said that with this increase in the Marine Corps it would be possible to spare 45,000 or 50,000 marines for service at the front.

BERKELEY MAN NAMED FOR DIPLOMATIC JOB.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Col. Frank T. Hines of the General Staff, National Army, was nominated today by President Wilson to be a brigadier-general.

The following were nominated to be secretaries of embassies or legations (class four:)

Cornelius Van H. Engert, Berkeley, Cal.

Walter C. Thurston, Phoenix, Ariz.

GERMANY OFFERS TO SWAP COAL FOR FOOD.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—In seeking to arrange commercial agreements with the Northern European neutrals, Germany is offering property seized in invaded territory in exchange for the neutrals' products.

Dispatches to the State Department today said Holland had refused an offer from Germany of 50,000 tons of Belgian coal, when the Dutch government learned where the coal was to be mined.

COMMANDING OFFICER AMONG OUR CAPTIVES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Official announcement of the recent arrival at an Atlantic port of thirty-eight Germans captured by American destroyers with the submarine U-58 shows that among the prisoners are the commanding officer, Capt.-Lieut. Gustaf Anberger and four other officers, as follows:

Ober Lieutenant Zur See Otto Van Ritgen; Marine Ober Engineer Paul Schroether; Lieutenant Zur See (Reserve) Frederick Muller, and Warrant Officer (Nav. and Deck) Henry Ropke.

The capture was made by the destroyer Fanning, assisted by the destroyer Nicholson, in European water on November 17, last. The prisoners were held by the British until a convenient opportunity occurred for transporting them to the United States. Now they will be transferred to the War Department for internment at Fort McPherson, Ga.

SERVED IN TURKEY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BERKELEY, April 19.—Cornelius Van H. Engert of Berkeley, nominated today by President Wilson to be an embassy or legation secretary, was attached to the embassy at Constantinople until diplomatic relations with Germany were severed, when he was transferred to the State Department at Washington after a trip along the western battle front. He was sent from Washington to San Francisco to receive Baron Ishii and the first Japanese mission last summer. Engert is a University of California graduate.

ADMITS THEFT OF 76 AUTOS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BERKELEY, April 19.—Seventy-six automobiles have been stolen by George Reuf, deserter from Camp Lewis, according to his confession today to Chief of Police Vollmer. Reuf says that after he and Cyril S. Baisch, now under arrest in San Francisco, deserted they went to Seattle, where they stole a machine and started south. From time to time they sold the machine in which they were traveling and then stole another. Reuf is being held for the military authorities.

GOVERNMENT SEIZES THE BOSCH PLANTS.

INVESTIGATION DISCLOSES THAT MAGNETO COMPANY WAS ENEMY-OWNED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The government has taken over the big plants of the Bosch Magneto Company at Springfield, Mass., and Plainfield, N. J., and directors will be named by Alien Property Custodian Palmer to conduct their operations. Investigation showed, it was announced today, that the company is entirely enemy-owned.

The move has been contemplated for some time, and a thorough investigation has been made of the concern's affairs. While the company is capitalized at only $75,000, its real valuation, it is said, is about $7,000,000. The company's output, it was announced, will be used largely by the airplane service, the navy and other branches of the government.

STOCK OWNED ABROAD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—Admission was made here today by C. L. Schurz, temporary president of the Bosch Magneto Company, taken over by the government, that all its stock is owned in Germany. Mr. Schurz, who is an American citizen, formerly was counsel and secretary of the company and succeeded Otto Heins, a German subject, who resigned as president in April, 1917. Mr. Heins is still in this country, but not connected with the concern, according to Mr. Schurz.

HAWAIIAN REORGANIZATION

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.]

HONOLULU (T. H.) April 19.—Plans for the reorganization of H. Hackfeld & Co., Ltd., large steamship agency, importing, exporting and general merchandise concern here, have been completed by A. Mitchell Palmer, Alien Property Custodian, it was announced today.

According to the plans a new corporation will be organized by popular stock subscription to purchase the interest of the Hackfeld concern, which will dissolve. Holdings will be limited to 100 shares a stockholder, with a director limited to 500 shares.

Government appraisers have determined that the value of the Hackfeld firm is $8,000,000. Two-thirds of this sum, when the concern is taken over by the new corporation, will be invested in Liberty Bonds as representing the stock held by enemies of the United States. No stock will be sold without the indorsement of the government, according to the plans.

PATRIOTS OFFERING COUNTRY PLATINUM.

WOMEN URGED TO HAVE JEWELRY RESET WITHOUT EXTRA COST.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Many offers of platinum held by private citizens are being received by the government as the result of the shortage which is handicapping scientific and munitions work necessary to winning the war. Dr. C. L. Parsons, of the bureau of mines, said today some of the platinum had been tendered as gifts, while other lots were offered for sale at the market price, because the owners did not think it patriotic to hold metal for personal adornment in the present crisis. All of the owners were instructed to turn over their holdings to certain refiners, who will hold the platinum subject to government disposition.

Requisitioning of all platinum in the hands of manufacturing jewelers may be the next step. The War Industries Board has warned jewelers that not more than $100 an ounce will be paid for commandeered platinum, and that efforts to corner scrap metal by running up the price may redound to their financial loss.

The Women's National League for the Conservation of Platinum is urging women to have their jewels reset in gold or in some of the white alloys of gold, such as palladium gold. Besides aiding the government they would obtain a new ornament without cost, since the difference in the values in the platinum and the new setting would more than pay for the work of resetting.

MARTINIQUE FEELS REPEATED TREMORS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

FORT DE FRANCE (Martinique) Thursday, April 18.—Slight earth shocks have been felt here for five days. The tremors began soon after noon Sunday and continued until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

In the eruption of Mt. Pelee in May, 1902, 30,000 persons lost their lives on the island of Martinique, and the city of St. Pierre was destroyed. The island of Martinique is covered with volcanoes, and there are many others on near-by islands in the West Indies.

ORDER CONFIDENTIAL, LANSING TELLS WASON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Refusal of Secretary Lansing to furnish him a copy of the Executive order under which the President appointed Herbert Hoover Food Administrator was laid before the House yesterday by Representative Wason of New Hampshire, a Republican member of the Agriculture Committee.

Mr. Wason sought to see the order to determine whether authority for price-fixing agreements was conferred by the President. Mr. Lansing wrote him that the order was "confidential."

NIGHT TRUCK DRIVES TO GAIN EXPERIENCE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The Highways Transport Committee of the Council of National Defense announced today that an army division supply train of thirty-eight cargo and two tank trucks on its way east from Detroit will travel partly at night, as will later trains, to acquaint drivers with conditions in France, where most of the driving is done at night.

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SWEETSER OF MEDICAL RESERVES WINS HONOR

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, April 18.—Lieut. Theodore Higgins Sweetser, of the Medical Reserve, U.S.A., has been recommended for the British military cross for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty.

Near Passchendaele March 13 he gave valuable assistance to more than forty men suffering from gas, while he himself also was suffering from the effects. At the present time the address of Lieut. Sweetser is not available.

KITCHENER'S BROTHER ARRIVES FROM INDIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

AN ATLANTIC PORT, April 19.—Among the passengers on an American steamship, which arrived here today from the West Indies, was Lord Denton, a brother of the late Earl Kitchener, "Kitchener of Khartoum," who was lost at sea in 1916, when en route to Russia on a military mission.

For some time, Lord Denton has been in command of the British West Indies regimental depot.

FOUR INJURED IN FIGHT OF NEIGHBORS.

ONE HAS EAR BITTEN AND WOMAN IS HELD ON SUSPICION OF INSANITY.

A general neighborhood quarrel last night at No. 234½ North Grand avenue resulted in the treatment of four persons at the Receiving Hospital, the arrest of one on a charge of mayhem and the detention of another on suspicion of insanity.

The man under arrest is William Brennan, a mechanical engineer, who is charged by Detectives Carroll and Williams with having bitten a piece out of the left ear of H. A. Perrin, a meter inspector. Mrs. Brennan is held at the Receiving Hospital on a charge of suspicion of insanity and Mrs. E. J. Arnold and Mrs. Perrin, in addition to Mr. and Mrs. Brennan, were treated for various cuts and bruises.

According to the police, when they answered a disturbance call, they found the four persons in a melee. Brennan, the detectives say, had bitten Perrin's ear and also had struck him on the head with an iron bar. Mrs. Arnold had been struck on the head, the police say, and Mrs. Brennan had also received a scalp wound. The officers were unable to discover the cause of the quarrel.

DISCHARGED, HE STEALS.

Youthful Robber Brought Back from San Bernardino for Rifling Safe.

A penitent safe robber, Richard Whalen, alias Joe Kelly, 19 years old, was returned to Los Angeles last night by Detective Sergeant Ben McCann from San Bernardino, where he had been captured by Chief Startey, and locked up on the charge of taking $250 from the safe of the Wheatley Produce Company at No. 928 San Julian street.

Whalen, according to his confession to the police, was discharged from the Wheatley Produce Company last Wednesday. Late that night he returned to the company's offices and finding the safe door open fumbled a while with the lock of the cash drawer and finally opened it. Two hundred dollars in cash and $50 in checks were in the box.

The youth threw the checks away, took the cash and left, by the "side-door Pullman" route for Denver. He was discovered at San Bernardino as a vagrant. When the police there found $197.53 on the youth they asked for an explanation. The boy broke down and confessed.

Investigation revealed that the Wheatley company was unacquainted with the disappearance of the money.

INCREASE IN EXPORTS, BRITISH FIGURES SHOW

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 19.—The Board of Trade figures for March show an increase in exports of £26,090,000 over last year and a decrease in exports of £5,169,000. The principal increases in imports were:

Food, £7,000,000; raw materials, £11,000,000, of which cotton accounted for £7,000,000. The chief decreases in exports were in manufactured articles.

News from South of Tehachepi's Top—Los Angeles County Items.

Much Ado About——

NEIGHBORS' ROW BACK IN COURT.

Attorneys' Fees Three Times Value of Property.

Lamanda Park Case Before the Sixth Judge.

The Flag Still Flies Where Potatoes Once Grew.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, April 19.—A neighborhood row that started over the division of a crop of potatoes planted as a war garden in 1917, and has since resulted in spite fences, two justice court cases, two cases for the Superior Court and one for the Appellate Court, the alleged desecration of the flag, an investigation by the Department of Justice, as well as the payment of court costs and attorneys' fees to the extent of $1800, with the disputed lot valued at about $500, found new interest in Lamanda Park yesterday with the filing of a new ejection suit.

In the new suit filed by Mrs. Margaret E. McGrath of Santa Barbara, through her attorney, George S. Carter, of the law firm of Tichnor & Carter, the defendant is W. R. Carll, a gardener living at No. 135 North Grand Oaks avenue. Mrs. McGrath wants Carll to relinquish possession of her lot, which she asserts she has rented to R. M. Pridham of No. 2242 Sierra Madre street.

On April 4, in a decision handed down in Superior Judge Taft's court, Carll was given possession of Mrs. McGrath's lot, in the suit brought by Carll to keep the Pridhams off the war garden. Attorney Carter is now appealing this case on the grounds of the findings and conclusions of law.

FLAG DESECRATED.

At the time Judge Taft asserted from the bench that the flag had been desecrated by the Pridhams after Carll testified that he had found a flag stuck under a sign erected to keep him off the lot. One members of the Pridham family is in the army, and they resented the implication, ordering an appeal to the Appellate Court. Mrs. Della Pridham reported to the Federal authorities that Carll had torn down the flag that her son, who is now in the army, had implanted in No Man's Land. An agent of the department intervened and the flag has been replaced by Carll and still flies on a bamboo pole above the clover and weeds which have grown on the once flourishing potato patch.

FLAG FLIES.

"The flag raising should never have been permitted to become an issue in the case. I do not condone the fact that my clients put up the flag on the sign—which had been torn down, it was childish. But the flag was torn down by Carll and my clients were censured by the court, which they have resented," said Attorney Carter. "But while the court said no such use should have been made of the flag, and Federal officials told Carll to put it up again, and it was there, I understand, while the case was being tried in court."

Going back to the issue of the potato patch which is part of the local history of Lamanda Park, from the evidence presented in court, it appears that the tiny lot had been rented by Mrs. Sarah Savage, acting for Mrs. McGrath, to Carll last year. On February 8, Carll received a letter from D. R. Pridham to the effect that Pridham had rented the lot from Mrs. McGrath. This was followed by the erection of the sign by the Pridhams. The first sign was torn down by Carll as was a second sign with the flag, according to the story told in court.

FENCE ERECTED.

A fence was erected several times by Carll along the line of the Pridham lot, and as often kicked over by the Pridhams, they admit. At one time, while Carll was building one end of the fence, Pridham knocked over several lengths of the structure at the other end. Carll, it is alleged, chased Pridham with a hatchet at the time and was arrested on an assault charge on compaint of the latter. The case is still pending before Justice R. W. McDonald.

Another case resulting over the disputed lease resulted in a hung jury in Justice Benjamin Strang's court. That time, Carll was arrested for battery, it being alleged that he laid hands on Mrs. Pridham.

Testifying as to the flag episode, Carll said that the flag had been concealed behind the sign and he did not see it until he had torn the sign down.

For flowers, Grace Nicholson's Pasadena Shop has oriental brass bowls, vases, baskets, dragon holders, enamel dishes, glass and bronze trays. The new flower baskets are specially desirable and low-priced.—[Advertisement.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

HOW THE SOUTHLAND IS HELPING WIN WAR.

ORGANIZED AND INDIVIDUAL EFFORTS IN SMALLER CITIES OF THIS DISTRICT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, April 19.—At the meeting of officials of the nineteen Community Councils of Tulare and Kings counties, held here following war rallies conducted by representatives of the National Council of Defense, plans were laid for a two-day war rally for the valley, to be held some time next month at Mooney Grove, near here.

TULARE, April 19.—Mystery of the disappearance from their classes in Tulare grammer schools of two lads in their early teens was solved by the truant officers when it was found the boys had secured work on a suburban ranch property to earn money with which to buy Thrift Stamps. The boys were active in a contest in the purchase of stamps which is now on among the grammar grades.

COLTON, April 19.—T. J. Fleming of Los Angeles, general manager of the California-Portland Cement Company, has notified Campaign Manager R. L. Riley that the Ora Grande Lime and Stone Company will purchase $6000 worth of bonds through Colton banks. Colton's allotment is $67,000, and while the drive being conducted is being pushed with enthusiasm, the quota has not been obtained yet.

EL CENTRO, April 19.—A head of cabbage sold for $30 today at a sale under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. for their ambulance fund. The cabbage weighed a little over two pounds. The cabbage will be served at a lunch to be given Saturday for the Red Cross.

PORTERVILLE, April 19.—According to reports which have been made to J. W. Thomas, the chairman of the Tulare County Liberty Loan Committee, practically every German-born resident of the county is now the owner of Liberty Bonds. Lead in this work was taken by the residents of the German Lutheran colony south of Porterville, where, according to the reports, every adult is listed on the honor roll. Letters coming recently from Germany, smuggled over the Swiss border, assert the situation of the civilian population there is morally and economically in the worst possible condition.

VISALIA, April 19.—During the month of March the smaller post-offices of Tulare county, which clear through the office here, bought Thrift Stamps to the value of $4723 according to a report by Postmaster R. J Barby. Strathmore led in per capita purchases, the people of that town having bought Stamps to the value of $1075.

SANTA MONICA, April 19.—Prominent members of the Santa Monica Bay Woman's Club will rise before dawn tomorrow to scour the country in their motor cars. They will bring in fresh vegetables and fruits to be sold at the Red Cross open market in the afternoon. The market this Saturday is in charge of the club Red Cross auxiliary, of which Mrs. E. C. Wilkinson, is the president. The women will don garden frocks and sun hats and act as hucksters for the various stalls and booths.

MANHATTAN BEACH, April 19.—This city has subscribed $6250 to the third Liberty Loan, almost double the quota of $3500. It is expected the allotment will be trebled before the campaign is over.

ALIEN SOLDIER BILL AGAIN IN THE HOUSE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—A bill providing for imediate naturalization of all men in the army, navy and Marine Corps, or men serving on any merchant vessel flying the American flag, was re-introduced in the House today by Representative Sabath of Illinois with the approval of the Immigration Committee, which has been considering it.

The measure is designed to meet the cases of thousands of men serving with the American expeditionary forces who without such legislation might be subject to punishment as traitors if captured.

PRO-GERMAN GIVEN SIX MONTHS IN JAIL.

OFFER TO KISS KAISER BRINGS BEATING THEN PRISON SENTENCE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, April 19.—A sentence of six months in the County Jail at hard labor was today given Fred Treschel of No. 269 South Los Angeles street, Los Angeles, the man who last night declared that if the Kaiser were in this city he would kiss him on both cheeks. When brought before Judge W. A. Rennie in Police Court Treschel pleaded guilty to the charge of disturbing the peace, but declared that he had been drinking and didn't know what he was doing.

"You will know what you are doing for the next six months, at any rate," remarked the judge drily, as he passed sentence on the culprit.

"When a man's tongue is loosed by alcohol, he is pretty apt to say what he really thinks," continued the court, "and it is evident that you have no love for this country, no matter what protestations you make today."

Treschel, who was apparently sober at the time, was last night challenged by Edward Winser of No. 1115 Maple avenue, Los Angeles, when the former indulged in defiance of Americans and hopes for the Kaiser's victory, shouted at the top of his voice as he stood on Windward avenue.

When Winser asked Treschel if he didn't think that he might get into trouble by being too fond of the Kaiser, the latter, according to the police, replied—"I would kiss him on both cheeks if he were only here."

"Kiss this then," was the rejoinder of Winser, as his brawny fist landed a jolt on the pro-German's jaw.

RESERVE OF WORKING GIRLS IS PLANNED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, April 19.—Corresponding with the nation-wide organization, United States Working Boys' Reserve, which will be called into service this summer to help harvest farm crops, this city today inaugurated a movement for the formation of a working girls' reserve for a like purpose. The girls will be organized as units to work in the Southern California fruit districts during the vacation period.

Miss Elizabeth Moore, director of the Girls' Junior Red Cross activities of the Long Beach Polytechnic High School, is the author of the plan. She says a great deal of the work done in the fruit districts each year by boys can be performed just as well by girls, thus releasing more boys for the harder labor on the ranches. It is planned to form the local girls into a unit and establish a chaperoned camp in one of the fruit districts in July and August.

CHECKS POWDER IN SATCHEL; ARRESTED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

TULARE, April 19.—Marie Maravigilia, an Italian who says he speaks no English, has been taken to Visalia for action by Federal authorities, after his arrest here on a charge of violating the law with regard to the transportation of explosives on passenger trains.

Maravigilia's arrest was caused after it was found he had checked to Tulare on a Santa Fe train a satchel which contained five pounds of explosives.

According to Maravigilia he has been engaged in planting trees, had been using the powder for this purpose and was ignorant of the law. Some details of his story have been substantiated by the officers.

Remarkable aerial flights at Coronado greatly interest guests.—[Advertisements.

WORKERS PLEDGE AID IN SAVING OF WHEAT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, April 19.—Twelve hundred workmen at March Field last night pledged their co-operation in the observance of the government food regulations, following an address made by W. G. Irving, Food Administrator for this county. Mr. Irving was accompanied by A. M. Lewis, County Food Supervisor of Groceries, the purpose of the visit being to investigate the reports of violations of the government rule forbidding the consumption of more than six and one-half pounds of wheat per person per month.

BOARD AT REDLANDS NAMES DRAFTED MEN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, April 19.—The local exemption board has selected the twenty-four men to go from here to Camp Lewis on April 26 and four alternates. The men selected are all men in Section A of Class 1. They are: August Kohler, Othello Kincher, James Shelby, William Thompson, Fayette Barnes, Osmond Way, David Thomas, Edward Jaramillo, Ira Eichsen, Daryll Matot, Norley Ray, Luis Abril, Ben Velarde, Lee Crahan, Ashton Tatnall, Kenneth Clark, Adolph Zalss, James Blake, James Cain, Prentiss Kirk, Raymond Kirk, Ira McCulloch, Lyn Chong and Walter Eigenbrod. The alternates are: Charles Culbertson, and Andreas Jubera.

The board has also received word that it will be required to furnish seven men for the induction of the five-day period beginning May 1, and that these men are to be sent to Fort McDowell.

RECORD PRICE PAID FOR DINUBA ORCHARD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

DINUBA, April 19.—What will rank as a new record price for young vines and deciduous fruits was paid by Mrs. A. Verworth of San Francisco in the purchase of the J. G. Gregory orchard and vineyard property of 166 acres in the Parlier district. Mrs. Verworth paid $124,000 for the tract. At this price the property brought $750 per acre.

Last year the income from the Gregory place was $24,000, or more than 25 per cent. on Mrs. Verworth's investment.

Bathing—fishing — aquaplaning—golf at "Hotel del Coronado."—[Advertising.

PARENTS GET LETTER FROM SON IN FRANCE.

SANTA MONICA MAN FIRST TO OFFICIALLY CARRY FLAG TO THE FRONT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, April 19.—Roland Root Speers, the first to officially carry the American flag on the French front, and a member of a Stanford University ambulance unit that left here nearly two years ago, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Speers of No. 1008 North Second street, this city, that he has applied for transfer from the Medical Corps to the tanks. Young Speers, who last October was given a commission as first lieutenant in the United States Medical Corps, and who was awarded the Croix de Guerre for conspicuous bravery in rescuing wounded under fire, has for some time been in command of an ambulance section in the French army before obtaining his commission in the American service. He is still with the French army, although commanding an American ambulance section.

"If you could see what I see," he writes, "you would realize the need of every able-bodied man getting into the fighting. There are plenty of men who are slightly maimed or so injured that they are not good for the fighting line who could serve in the Medical Corps and give us husky fellows a chance to get out and get the Hun."

The lieutenant writes that he has so much experience in "jimmying" Ford ambulances about shell-torn roads in the dark that he is certainly fitted by long usage of the Ford engine to drive the American tanks, which he says he understands to be much smaller, but faster, than the British tanks, and are equipped with Ford motors. "I will resign my commission and enlist if I can't get into the fighting any other way," he writes.

The letter, written from "somewhere in France" about ten days before the present Hun offensive, tells of severe bombardment of a neighboring town, with much killing of innocent women and children by the enemy artillery. This is the forecast of a German advance, was the prediction made in the letter.

"Hotel del Coronado"—headquarters for "service" people.—[Advertisement. William Doell, Clarence Crawford

SOUTHLAND TEACHERS MEET AT RIVERSIDE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, April 19.—A hundred or more teachers from all parts of Southern California will assemble here Saturday to discuss proposed changes in the course of study for grammar schools in this State. Dr. Ernest Moore, president of the Los Angeles State Normal School, will preside, and superintendents of schools and teachers will be present from Los Angeles, Pasadena, Redlands, San Bernardino, Pomona, Santa Monica and Santa Ana.

The meeting is the third of a series being conducted in various cities, the purpose being to consider the advisability of eliminating so-called nonessentials from the course of study. At the end of the year reports on the findings arrived at by the committees will be presented to Dr. Moore.

FRUIT MEN CHANGE METHOD OF GRADING.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VAN NUYS, April 19.—A radical change in the grading of peaches and apricots for the coming season was adopted at a meeting of the directors of the Vanomar Canning Company at which about fifty growers were present. This provision arranges for three grades of fruit instead of two in making up the pools as is the generally-accepted custom and is designed to protect the men bringing in the better grades of fruit.

President C. A. Worthington announced that all grading for the coming season would be conducted by the government. A plan for reorganization of the company alone co-operative lines similar to those worked out at Hemet was proposed by Ross E. Whitley, a director of the Vanomar Company, and was taken under advisement.

EXTENSION PLANNED OF PACOIMA TRAIL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN FERNANDO, April 19.—Supervisor R. H. Charlton and District Ranger Thomas Sloam, of the Angeles National Forest, while paying an official visit to Ranger O. H. McElfresh and Fire Agent H. C. Caldwell of San Fernando, announced forest service plans for the coming season affecting this district.

Supervisor Charlton states that if the usual annual appropriation is forthcoming this year from the county, the Pacoima Canyon trail will be extended to Mount Gleason and a trail built along the divide between the Angeles and Santa Barbara forests.

Reservations and information at Coronado Agency, No. 527 Spring.—[Advertisement.

LEADING ATTORNEY OF RIVERSIDE DIES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

RIVERSIDE, April 19.—W. A. Purington, for thirty years one of the leaders of the local bar, member of the firm of Purington and Adair, died here tonight, at 10 o'clock, at the age of 60. He was for many years attorney for the Riverside Water Company, taking part in most of the litigation in which the company was involved and also served in the capacity of City Attorney for many years.

CITY SELLS LAND.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, April 19.—A deal has been closed by the city with the Southern Sierras Power Company for three quarters of an acre of land lying in the city's water district and desired as a site for a water cooling tank. The consideration was $1000, the city reserving all water rights.

"Coronado" ideal for enjoyment of all outdoor sports.—[Advertisement.

PENALTY PROPOSED FOR FOOD HOARDERS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, April 19.—Food hoarders in the Porterville district will be subjected to severe punishment. This is the declaration of E. L. Scott, the Food Administrator for Tulare county, in a statement announcing that action is now under way to check up on all householders, owners of restaurants and cafes and all others who have in their possession more wheat products than allowed under Federal law and who have failed to make proper report.

Administrator Scott declares a house-to-house canvass of the entire county will be made by him and his assistants if this should be indicated as necessary.

Spring and summer at Hotel del Coronado promise much interest. Information, Norcross, 527 Spring.—[Advertisement.

SANTA MONICA BOARD LISTS DRAFTED MEN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, April 19.—The Santa Monica draft district, known as Los Angeles county district No. 2, has 214 men in Class 1, according to figures compiled here today by Henry J. Stanley, clerk of the local board, for forwarding to the office of Adjt.-Gen. J. J. Borree. Of these 139 were certified for general service, seventy-two for limited service, and the balance failed to pass the examination. Examinations were taken here today by twenty-five men, who under the new orders were transferred from Class 5 to Class 1, resulted in three passing for general service and six for limited service. The rest failed to pass.

Under the recent Presidential order, men in Class 5 whose physical disability did not prevent them from service in some capacity were transferred to Class 1. Charles Labanoff, Francis M. Price, Duke L. Lowen, the men who passed today for general service, will be included in the detachment of forty-one men who leave here on the morning of April 26 for American Lake.

CHURCH CONFERENCE OPENED AT COLTON.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, April 19.—The annual session of the Southern California conference of the Second Advent Christian Church opened here last evening with a service of welcome conducted by the Rev. F. L. Richardson, pastor of the local church. About seventy-five members and delegates of the conference, which embraces the churches of San Diego, Los Angeles, Pasadena, Lordsburg, Tustin, Monrovia and Colton, are here, while more are expected to come for the annual business meeting on Saturday, preparations being made to care for 150. At tonight's meeting the evangelist, Tom Mackey of the Los Angeles rescue mission, spoke.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society held its semi-annual session this afternoon, Mrs. Sarah M. G. Browne of Tustin presiding. At the session of the Sunday school union which followed Mrs. Harry L. Hanson of Santa Ana was re-elected president and Oscar Harms of Monrovia, secretary-treasurer. The superintendents of the various Sunday-schools are vice-presidents by virtue of their office.

Each Sunday-school renewed its pledge to the Dowling Park orphanage, located on the Suwanee River in Florida, which is suported by the denomination at large.

Ball at "Coronado" tonight.—[Advertisement.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY SELECTS OFFICERS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, April 19.—The convention of the San Diego district of the Foreign Missionary Society closed today with the election of the following officers: President, Mrs. C. E. Teach, Orange; first vice-president, Mrs. J. J. Hathway, Riverside; second vice-president, Mrs. E. L. Barnes, San Diego; third vice-president, Mrs. G. R. Reyburn, Garden Grove; fourth vice-president and recording secretary, Mrs. F. F. Thomson, Corona; treasurer, Miss Gertrude Richardson, Santa Ana; secretary of tithing, literature and jubilee, Mrs. E. D. Riddle, Orange; secretary of extension work, Mrs. Edward Lee, Santa Ana; secretary of special work, Mrs. W. J. Saunby, Santa Ana.

HEAVY WIND STORM SWEEPS OVER POMONA.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, April 19.—This city is feeling the effects of what seems to be the worst windstorm of the year, which has been raging to the south and east of Pomona since yesterday noon. During all the afternoon yesterday the sky was clouded with a red dust, and this morning the wind shifted from the east, bringing clouds of dust across the city. Reports from the country east of here tell of almost impassable roads because of the wind.

VISALIA GAS RATE BOOST IS ANNOUNCED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, April 19.—The Central California Gas Company, founded originally by Southern California investors, but now largely controlled by San Franciscans, and which serves gas to Visalia, Tulare, Exeter, Lindsay, Strathmore and Porterville, has been granted permission by the Railroad Commission to increase its rates to the point where 6 per cent. can be earned on a total issue of $350,000 in stock. The new rates go into effect next month.

Rates which were approved will affect about 25 per cent. of the consumers and apply almost wholly to those who use 5000 feet of gas or over monthly.

Lieut. Patton Came From New York.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—Lieut. George Francis Patton of this city, member of the American Army Medical Corps in France, who has been awarded the French cross of war, is 31 years old. He was commissioned a first lieutenant last July, just before he was married, and went to France late in the fall.

DAYLIGHT ROBBERY BELIEVED BOY'S JOB.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, April 19.—Boys are believed to have committed the daylight robbery reported at the store and home of William Hall, at Last Chance, near the mouth of Topanga Canyon. When Hall returned this morning after taking his children to school, he found the place ransacked. Two $ diamond rings valued at $500 were missing in addition to other valuables in the house. Investigation showed the store had been looted of fruits, candies and other goods for which boys have a special fondness. The Sheriff's office at Los Angeles was notified.

GIRLS MAY GET JOBS TO HELP ENGINEER.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, April 19.—Continued resignations by employees of the City Engineer's office, who have quit the service of the municipality to accept positions paying more money, has left the city in a predicament. With no money with which to raise salaries in view at this time it was stated today that girls would have to be employed as chainmen and for office detail work. Women street sweepers will also soon be a common sight in this city, according to officials of the Public Works Department, who are up against the same problem as the Engineer's office.

BOYS CONFESS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, April 19.—Two Pomona boys, Bush and Wescott, about 20 years of age, have been arrested, and confessed to stealing hydrants from vacant houses in this city. The plumbing fixtures were removed and sold as junk for the brass which they contain. The arrest was made by Officer Trimmer after he and Officer Parker had spotted the lads near a vacant house.

LILY OF FRANCE DAY IS CELEBRATED HERE.

THOUSANDS OF BLOOMS ARE SOLD AT AFFAIR IN ALLIES' MARKET.

Lily of France Day was celebrated on Wednesday last, at the Allies' Market, on the mezzanine floor of the Y.W.C.A. The fleur de lis, now in full glory in California gardens, where more varieties are grown than in any other vicinity of the United States, were donated by the score, by the hundred, almost by the automobile load, for the occasion, and proceeds of the sales, reached a very estimable figure. The cantata "Joan of Arc," was given by eighty-five L. A. High School girls.

On each Wednesday afternoon a fine programme is given—the donation of prominent musicians who are pleased to thus do their bit, and tea is served accompanied by Hoover bread and biscuits.

Viands, contributed, are also sold, and the handsome collection of paintings, the gifts of Southern California artists, are exhibited and sold. Daily, this gathering of canvases is augmented, and proves most attractive to art lovers. A number have been purchased by prominent persons who have elected to thus do their bit and at the same time to assist the artists in doing theirs. It is hoped that many clubs, schools and individuals may find it possible to thus help. Many of the canvases are especially adapted to public uses, and would prove lasting souvanirs of the patriotic duty accomplished while, at the same time, adding beauty to places where many could enjoy them. O. H. Daniell, is in charge of the paintings.

The programme on next Wednesday will include a talk by Mrs. Benjamin Goldman, on what the work of the women at home means to the boys over there, and an address by Dr. James A. Francis.

ADMITS IDENTITY.

Federal Officers Interrogate Woman Who Posed as Wife of Robber.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—Miss Helen Fillman of Allentown, Pa., who, the Federal officials said, posed as wife of Charles L. Cole at his trial on a charge of stealing $12,000 worth of Liberty Loan Bonds from the Twelfth Federal Reserve Bank District, was questioned here today concerning her relations with Cole by Assistant United States District Attorney Chauncey Traumutolo.

Federal officials say Cole's plea for leniency was not contested because of sympathy he had engendered for himself through Miss Fillman. He said he had stolen to provide an operation for his wife, and Miss Fillman wept in court at his hearing. Federal officials said.

Cole, alias Carl Conrad, was sentenced to three years' imprisonment instead of five on his leniency plea. Federal officials said he left a wife and two children in Allentown when he came West with Miss Fillman.

It has been revealed that Cole had been a deputy collector of internal revenue in Pennsylvania, and Cole left Allentown "under suspicious circumstances" and had "abused confidence," the Federal officials said.

Miss Fillman has admitted her identity, the Federal officials said. She denied all knowledge of an additional shortage of $2400 from the Federal reserve bank, which had been reported to the secret service here. Cole also denied knowledge of this shortage.

COL. GEORGE POPE DIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HARTFORD (Ct.), April 19.—Col. George Pope, president and later receiver of the Pope Manufacturing Company, died at his home here late today. He was a former president of the American Manufacturers' Association and was 74 years old.

Smith Succeeds Newlands.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Senator Smith of South Carolina was elected chairman today of the joint Congressional committee investigating the general railroad situation with a view of determining the advisability of permanent government ownership. He succeeds the late Senator Newlands of Nevada.

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Furnished.

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ST—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS IN PRI home, 1051 S. FLOWER. 65039.

ST—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS IN HOL cool. 6043 FRANKLIN AVE. 57536.

ST—CLEAN BEDROOM, LOTS OF FRESH Attr nice shower bath, garage. PHONE 53965.

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ST—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, ALSO a sleeping rooms, 634½ CROCKER ST.

ST—FRONT ROOM HOUSE, $5 WEEK, Lan on Westlake car. 221 W. 6TH ST. WILSHIRE

ST—LARGE FRONT ROOM FOR OFFICE location. 760 W. 7TH ST.

ST—DESIRABLE ROOMS AT 1152 W. 7TH Walking distance.

ST—SUNNY ROOM FOR GENTLEMAN; time distance. 857 BIXEL.

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TO LET—HOLLYWOOD, LIST WITH US. CHEAPEST TO RENT. Rentals a specialty. 7508 Sun- set Blvd. Holly 637. 577592.

TO LET—COTTAGE, 6 ROOMS, BATH, GAS, electricity, heater, large yard; newly decorated. 326 E. 29TH ST. Key 411 E. 29TH ST.

TO LET — 532 E. 31ST ST., 6 ROOMS, $15 month, and 1465 Regina Lane, Highland Park, 5 rooms, $15 month. 76767. MAIN 8007.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL PLACE, 15 FRUIT TREES, 11 grapevines, garden, garage; 52nd place. In- formation at 231 W. 46TH ST. No small children.

TO LET—6-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, LAWN, flowers, fruit trees, 2 car, water furnished. $28. See house, 1357 LIBERTY ST.

TO LET—10-ROOM UNFURNISHED HOUSE, FIVE bedrooms, sleeping for 2 families. 1211 UNION ST. Key at 923. C. JACOBSON. A2553.

TO LET—HOUSES AND BUNGALOWS, VAIL & CRANE CO., Incorporated, 1146 W. Pico st. Phone 2408; 28580.

TO LET—DANDY 7-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, cor. west. Fine locality, garage. JONES, Main 2583, 212-220; evenings, 54040.

TO LET—ON SALE—7-ROOM HOUSE, 450 W. 41st place, rent $20. Sale, $3000. 682 BURLINGTON. 54329.

TO LET—5-ROOM HOUSE ON EAST SIDE, WITH chicken wire and houses. Inquire 1210 E. 14TH ST.

TO LET—MODERN 5-ROOM BUNGALOWS FOR sale, rare bargains. Owner, 1 block from Pico car, $16 per month. M. 368, evenings W. 4793.

TO LET—5 LARGE CLEAN ROOMS, HARDWOOD floor, walking distance. 1124 WALL ST.

TO LET—$25, 1219 E. 6TH, UPPER FLOOR 6 rooms. Walking distance.

TO LET—$17, MODERN BUNGALOW, NEAR Ave. 20 car barns. WILSHIRE 836.

TO LET—NEW 9-ROOM MODERN HOUSE AT 115 N. NORMANDIE, $40. Phone A2201.

Country and Suburban Homes.

TO LET— RAMONA ACRES.
A nice 8-room suburban home with 1 acre of ground, 30 fruit trees, berries, chicken run, etc., and everything to make for comfort and enjoy- ment. Only car fare to city. Rent $25 per month. Address B, box 194, TIMES OFFICE.

TO LET—2 ACRES IN PASADENA, WITH GOOD cottage and variety of fruit trees, fine soil, near car line. Address 2075 LINCOLN AVE., Pasadena.

TO LET—BEACH PROPERTY—
Furnished and Unfurnished.

TO LET—5-ROOM LOWER FLAT, UNFURNISH- ed, no small children. 127 VISTA PLACE, Venice car; Brooks ave.

TO LET—FINE FUR. HOUSEKEEPING APTS., 8 rms., $20 mo. 17 OZONE AVE., Ocean Park.

TO LET—OR LEASE—
Miscellaneous.

Stores.

DO YOU WANT TO GO IN THE GROCERY grocery business? If so I have a location that is worthy of your consideration. An established business with a rental of $25 per month, which includes shelving. You are not required to buy the stock unless you so desire. Good reasons given. See F. E. BUNDAY, Agent, 1893 W. Jeffer- son. West 4623.

TO LET—HAVE YOU A MANUFACTURING business or other business that requires a large room? I have such a room, about 40x120, in a one-story brick building, which I will rent at a low rental. Phone Main 8158, Sec F. E. BUNDY, 1893 W. Jefferson. West 4623.

TO LET—STORE, GOOD OPENING FOR DRY goods, or second-hand furniture, MR. SHANEY, Tel. 9A3.

Offices.

TO LET — BY OWNER, ATTRACTIVE BROAD- way store, also private offices. 1045 S. Photo studio or other business. PHONE 71591.

TO LET—TO DENTIST OR PROFESSIONAL man, beautiful office and reception room. Corner of Hoover and Vernon. $22.50.

TO LET—WHOLE SECOND FLOOR BRICK BLDG. Center city. $35 mo. 118 E. SEVENTH ST.

Farming and Ranch Lands.

TO LEASE—
The Harrell Ranch of 10,000 acres, near Visalia, to be rented to Possession to be had during Novem- ber 1, 1918. For particulars inquire of GEO. D. SMITH, Harrell Bldg., Visalia, Cal.

FOR LEASE—25 ACRES FINE BEAN, TOMATO and corn land, 2 miles from San Fer- nando Valley. HAGEMAN, 302 Central Bldg., forenoons only.

TO LEASE—40 ACRES GOOD BEAN LAND WITH artesian water, on boulevard. PHONE 71414.

Warehouses and Storage Rooms.

PRIVATE LOCKED ROOMS.
NATIONAL TRANSFER AND STORAGE CO., MAIN 5181. 932 S. HILL ST. A4050.

FURNITURE, HOUSEH'LD GOODS
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

For Sale and Exchange.

FOR SALE—AUCTION TODAY, APRIL 20, 10 a.m., 1033 S. Figueroa st., 12 rooms of furniture, including dining, library and brass bed; first tables, 9 by 12 and smaller Axminster rugs, 4 piece William and Mary bedroom set; Jacobean davenport, 6 ft. long; Simmons 54- size beds, springs and floss mattresses; roll top desk, china closet, kitchen safe and tables, dishes, electric iron, gas range, gas plates, sanitary couches, etc., in fact most anything to furnish a home can be found at this sale. Do not fail to attend. CHAS. J. BELLNER, Auc- tioneer, Broadway 1823.

FOR SALE—COMPLETE FURNISHINGS OF 6-room residence. House sold, must leave city. 2416 BUDLONG AVE. W. Adams car.

FOR SALE—WILL SELL MY NEW HIGH CLASS furniture of 6 rooms to private party. Rea- sonable for cash or half cash and balance month- ly payments. Owner will be here Sunday to show auctioneers need answer. 6353 SUNSET BLVD, Hollywood 3595.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 12-ROOM RESIDENCE, Chesterfield suite, old leather, mahogany, cor- sinted pieces, William, Mary dining set, reed bedroom set, rugs, piano. Sacrifice. 2830 EL- LENDALE PLACE.

FOR SALE — IRON BED, COMPLETE, $1.50; dresser, $4; round fd. pedestal dining table, $6.50; oak chairs, 75c; pillows, 35c. Free deliv- ery. 820 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—HOOSIER CABINETS, LOUNGES, chiffoniers, dressers, $5; baby cribs, linoleum, etc., cheap; iron beds, $3 and up, oak dining chairs, china cupboard, 3-piece parlor sets, sanitary couch pads, $9. 814 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL REED DINING OR breakfast set, cost $65, sell for half; also reed rocker and chair. 2320 W. 9TH ST.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE, DAVENPORT, $15; dining table, $15; rugs, $15 to $25; gas stove, dresser, chiffonier, etc. 742 S. GRAND AVE.

FOR SALE — 150 ROLLS FRIO LINOLEUM, 85 cts. square yard; worth 65 cts. GOLDMAN SAL- VAGE CO., 583 Central ave.

FOR SALE — RUGS AND DINING-ROOM SUIT, stove, dishes, etc. Must be sold by Sunday morning. Call 1811 EXPOSITION BLVD.

FOR SALE—MUST SELL, 9-PIECE PARLOR SUITE, rooms of furniture. No dealers. Bdwy. 5451. 136 S. BUNKER HILL.

FOR SALE—SOME FURNITURE AND VELVET rugs; no dealers. Phone WILSHIRE 3005.

FOR SALE — GOING BACK EAST, WILL SELL furniture, 901 WINFIELD, corner Georgia.

FOR SALE — EVERYTHING 2ND-HAND: STOVES and plumbing supplies a specialty. 600 E. 1st.

Wanted.

WANTED—THE FURNISHINGS OF A HOME— Would purchase from private party complete furniture and furnishings of a home, in good condition, no dealers; would pay best cash price for nice furniture for 8 rooms; would consider furniture and separate pieces, such as good ocean- size rugs, dining-room furniture, piano, gasoline stove, sewing machine, refrigerator; would like to have this furni- ture now or before the 1st of May. Phone 269260 or FERMOUT 1461.

WANTED—FURNITURE AND FURNISHINGS OF every description. I buy a single piece or an entire home, $1 to $2000 worth, ANY GRADE. The finest quality or the cheapest; in fact, every- thing from kitchen utensils to a talkign machine or piano. I pay spot cash and take possession at your convenience. If you have the furnishings of a home or a few pieces to sell, be sure and call me. You will be pleased with my way of doing business. WILSHIRE 6052; HOME 508441.

WANTED— We pay highest cash prices for all kinds of fur- niture, household goods, any amount, for spot cash. Be sure to call us before you sell. We pay more. Or we will sell for you on commission. Cash advanced on consignments.

BROWN'S AUCTION & COMMISSION HOUSE, 1501-3-5 S. Main st.

Home 25079. Pico 274.

WANTED—REED & HAMMOND, GENERAL AUC- tioneers, 1053-55 S. Main st., near 11th. Old- est and largest auction house in the West. Ex- perts in every line of auction work; watch our ads, and attend the big sales. Cash advanced on consignments, or will buy for cash. For all in- formation call or 1045; BROADWAY 2960.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE OFFICE AND HOUSE- hold goods. Highest price paid. Be sure and get our offer before you sell.

COLGAN'S FURNITURE CO., Main 623. 781 S. Main st. A5873.

WANTED—FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS of every description. We will positively pay more than anyone or will sell your goods on commission. W. O. TRASK AUCTION SALES CO., 955 W. 16th st. West 5882, 25983.

WANTED—AT ONCE, FURNITURE AND HOUSE- hold goods in any quantity; will pay highest cash price for 2 to 10 rooms; also single piece. Call HOME F6106.

WANTED—FURNITURE OR RUGS FOR DENTIS- try. Phone WEST 2218.

FURNITURE, HOUSEH'LD GOODS
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

Wanted.

WANTED — FURNITURE, RUGS, DINING SET, bedroom set, parlor furniture, range, refriger- tor, or complete furnishings for 8-room house. Call immediately. 90, 859; 21060.

WANTED—HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE FURNI- ture, highest cash prices paid; also new furni- ture exchanged for old. COLGAN-HENDERSON FURNITURE CO., 724 S. Main. Main 8058, 82505.

WANTED—AM FURNISHING APARTMENTS, will absolutely pay higher prices for used fur- niture of all kinds, all grades; full houses or single pieces. Spot cash. WEST 4084; 23805.

WANTED—HOUSEHOLD GOODS, OFFICE FURNI- ture. PHONE F1506. BROADWAY 1300.

WANTED—TODAY, FURNITURE, RUGS, DISHES, cooking ware or what have you; 2 to 8 rooms complete. 8 NASH, 4718 S. Figueroa st., Los Angeles. Phone Vermont 5577L.

WANTED—$1000 WORTH OF FURNITURE, FOR sale on main street of Culver City. Equity $650; will clear if necessary. MRS. LEWIS, 828 S. Hope st.

WANTED—FURNITURE AND RUGS FOR A 9- room house, will buy single pieces or house full. Call BROADWAY 377; A9295.

WANTED — YOU CAN'T GET THE FULL VALUE for your furniture, then give us a trial and be convinced. Phone at once. MAIN 9121. A1828.

WANTED—FURNITURE, RUGS, BEDS, BEDDING, dishes, stoves, etc. Highest cash prices paid; will buy all or part. No dealers. PHONE 65412.

WANTED—AM FURNISHING FLATS, WILL PAY more than dealers, any amount or single pieces. Spot cash. WEST 454; 25726.

WANTED—WILL PAY HIGHEST PRICES FOR used furniture and rugs for 6-room bungalow, by private party. BROADWAY 5451.

WANTED—DON'T DISPOSE OF YOUR FURNI- ture or merchandise until you get our offer. Highest cash prices paid. PICO 5477.

WANTED—ENTIRE STOCK OF FURNITURE. WE pay the highest cash price. BROADWAY 8186.

WANTED—FURNITURE, ANY KIND WANT A; pay highest prices. WIL 5005, SOUTH 4673.

WANTED—FURNITURE, RUGS, HIGHEST prices. ROYAL. Call BROADWAY 7805.

WANTED—I PAY HIGHEST PRICE, LARGE OR small amounts. WEST 2171; 21940.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted, Etc.

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FOR SALE—A VERY FINE MAHOGANY PLAYER piano, slightly used, will sell with bench and music for $500. Do not overlook the fact that when you buy your player at Fitzgerald's you won't have to buy music rolls, as we have a free music roll library. Buy here and be sure of satisfaction. FITZGERALD MUSIC CO., 727-729 South Hill.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL MAHOGANY SCHUBERT piano, like new, large tone, attractive price. Will consider Victrola, grafonola or visible type- writer, part. 202 W. 22ND ST.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE FINE PIANOS FOR $2. $3, $4 month. You can arrange for purchase allowance and free cartage. N. W. FISHER, 105 N. Broadway.

FOR SALE—ONE LESTER UPRIGHT GRAND piano, mahogany case, full size. Nice con- dition, $110. BEKINS FIREPROOF STORAGE CO.

FOR SALE — CHICKERING PIANO, ALSO A Knabe. Both like new. Will make great sac- rifice on either one. Residence, 1822 W. VER- NON AVE.

FOR SALE — UPRIGHT PIANO, BEAUTIFUL case, medium size, a real money saving bar- gain for only $125. FITZGERALD MUSIC CO., 727-729 S. Hill.

TO LET—FINE PIANOS, $4 A MONTH AND up. Rent credit applied if purchased later. FITZGERALD MUSIC CO., 727-729 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—MY BEAUTIFUL CABINET GRAND piano, sweet tone, $165; terms, $5 month, or will rent. 215 W. 9TH. between Hill & Olive.

TO LET—PIANOS, $2.50 PER MONTH UP. Will apply rent on purchase price if desired. TAY- LOR PIANO CO., 332½ S. Broadway. Bdwy. 898.

FOR SALE—COLUMBIA GRAFONOLA, CABINET size, nearly new. Sell very cheap. 1822 W. VERNON AVE.

TO LET—FINE PIANOS, CARTAGE FREE. 982 S. HILL ST.

TO LET — UPRIGHT PIANO $2.50 monthly. Call Storage, 56 FOR W 8TH ST.

TO LET—$2.50 MONTHLY, UPRIGHT PIANO. 633 S. UNION. 518½. Wil. 457.

Wanted.

WANTED—OLD VIOLINS, MANDOLINS, GUI- tars, band and all kinds of musical instruments. POLODARE, 962 S. Main st. Phone A3560.

WANTED—GUITAR FOR CHAMBERS FOR DENTIS- try; must be in A1 condition. Address DW, box 485, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—TO BUY A GOOD UPRIGHT GRAND PI- ano, or player, for cash. PHONE 15902.

WANTED—UPRIGHT PIANO. THE BEST $75 cash will purchase. MAIN 644.

MACHINERY—ALL KINDS—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

For Sale and Exchange.

FOR SALE—1 TRACTION WELL RIG, 20-H.P. engine, with pressure pump, hydraulic jacks, etc.; 1 portable well rig, 12-H.P. engine, with pres- sure pump, hydraulic jacks, etc.; 1 portable well rig, without engine; these rigs will make good service. Reasonable prices. Centrifugal pumps, 2- inch up to and including 8-inch; good prices. Also several rebuilt commercial engines and others of standard make. COMMERCIAL ENGINE COM- PANY, 2424 Butler ave., Los Angeles. 27726.

FOR SALE—40 H.P., 2-CYLINDER OILDS, SELF contained gas engine, type D, latest marine type, $250. Ideal for heavy work; has clutch and reverse. E. CLAMPITT CO., 1037 N. Alameda st. Well Supplies. Phones Main 9223; A3452.

ELECTRIC MOTORS AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES. U. S. ELECTRICAL MFG. CO., 459-61-97 E. Third st. Bdwy. 2488.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF TOOLS, VISES, anvils, hammers, machine steel rope, sheaves, blocks, chain, etc. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON CO., 650 Avenue 21, near North Main st.

FOR SALE—GAS ENGINES, 1 TO 200 H.P. Rolls, pipe, casings, tanks, pumps, mining machinery, various equipment of all kinds. LLOYD. F7020. 806-808 N. Main st. Bdwy. 4102

AUTOMOBILES, ETC.—
Miscellaneous.

Automobiles for Sale.

1918 FORD RUNABOUT, NEW 1000 miles to be sold; $350 cash; must be like new car, will sell for $450; terms if reqrd. SOUTH 3866W; 23422 Ocean Ave.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE — 7-SEATED Hupmobile touring car; fine condition; will sell cheap for cash or trade for Ford; see MR. FELT, any week day. 2402 W. 23d St.

FOR SALE—1914 OVERLAND, 4-PASSENGER model 79; electric starting and lighting; winter windshield; all good tires; fine condition. Open Sundays. SOUTH 3966W; 23422 Ocean Ave.

FOR SALE — OAKLAND touring car; has been run by a tourist this last winter and is in the best of order; car is left by owner for the use of any one; car is left by the week at 1040 S. MAIN ST., in Mr. Kinney's garage.

FOR SALE—OLDSMOBILE 8 CLAY BOADSTER, fine condition; low mileage; $1350; will consider part trade; this is the finest little car on the market today. Write owner, 1020 SEVENTH ST., SANTA MONICA.

FOR SALE—DODGE LATE 1917 5-PASSENGER touring car; has been used very little; will sell at a good one at a bargain, call at residence, 1006 W. WASHINGTON ST. No Sunday business.

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FOR SALE—1915 MICHIGAN 40, 5-PASSENGER 6-cyl. touring; extra good condition; run- ning; see JIM MURDOCK, 1236 S. Grand.

FOR SALE—5-PASSENGER OVERLAND IN GOOD condition, $250 cash. Call 1706 E. BROADWAY, Glendale.

FOR SALE—CHEVROLET, BY PRIVATE OWNER, very reasonable terms now; model 4-46, 1916; phone Sunset 29551.

FOR SALE — 1918 5-PASSENGER MITCHELL, new, big reduction. W. R. MANSFIELD, 1701 Cahuenga ave., Hollywood. 57826W.

STUDEBAKER, MODEL 57, 5-PASSENGER, 6-cylinder, remountable wheels and 30x3½ tires. Call Sunday before 10 or $150 cash. 276 N. AVE. 21.

YOUR OLD CAR TAKEN IN TRADE ON A BRISCOE.

FOR SALE—FORD COUPE, LIKE NEW, with electric lights and starter, demountable rims, speedometer; has 4 GRAND. MAIN 8127.

FOR SALE—SEVEN LOOKS LIKE NEW $600. Electric starter, rims, spare, speedometer, etc. W. D. DUNHAM FORD AGENCY, 1250 W. 7th.

FORD SPEEDSTER, BOSCH MAGNETO, MOTOR- meter and other extras; $375. Call 8 to 9 a.m. or 5 to 6 p.m. 6720 HOLLYWOOD BLVD.

FOR SALE — FORD SPEEDSTER, 1917; FORD touring, 1916 Ford roadster, 2 months' use; SPEEDER MOTOR CAR CO., 118 W. 9th. Phone 10128.

FOR SALE—1914 FORD TOURING CAR, OVER- hauled by private party; looks good; owner has no use for it; will be sold cheap for cash. Open Sunday. 1846 E. MAIN ST.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE your auto—or need help on delinquent notes, see me last. 1007 W. 16TH ST.

IF YOU WANT A DANDY GOOD FORD TOURING car, come and get it for $240; terms if desired. 1007 W. SEVENTH ST.

WILL FURNISH GOOD HAULING CONTRACT to party having a new truck. G. D. 32 Wall- ing, 1017 S. Olive st.

FOR SALE—BUICK, 1917, ORIGINAL PRICE $1600; good condition; mechanically O. K.; $612 W. PICO ST.

FOR SALE—1918 PAIGE 6 TOURING, RADIO- phone, speedometer, etc.; $1350. 1918 E. MAIN ST., in Mr. Kinney's garage.

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THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

To Wed at Seattle.

A marriage license to George Z. Duke, 26, of Los Angeles, and Helen H. Bruce, 21, of Tacoma, Wash., was issued at Seattle, yesterday.

In Lincoln Park.

Gregory's Marine Band will give a concert in Lincoln Park, tomorrow afternoon, including vocal numbers by well-known artists. Gregory's Band will play for the children's May pole festivities in the park, May 1.

For Italy's Suffering.

Under the auspices of the Wilshire Auxiliary, Italian War Relief Society, a lawn fete will be given at the San Gabriel Country Club, next Saturday. There will be cards, refreshments, dancing in the evening and men's eighteen-hole medal play rounds, both morning and afternoon.

On Banking Principles.

W. M. Burke, professor of economics in Occidental College, will begin a course of lectures on "The Principles of Banking," in Room 405, Union League Building, Thursday evening, under the auspices of the University of California Extension Division.

Vesper Service.

Vesper service will be held on the seventh floor of the Y.W.C.A. Sunday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. The speaker, will be Miss Alice S. Barber, who served under the Presbyterian Mission Board in Syria for seventeen years. Mrs. Fred P. Rossiter will be the soloist for the afternoon, with Mrs. Gray as accompanist.

Dr. Guild to Lecture.

Dr. Lewis Thurber Guild, the new pastor of the East Hollywood Methodist Church, will address the Celtic Club, at its meeting, May 14, by special invitation. His subject will be "The Tinderbox of Europe." Having at one time resided in Bulgaria, Dr. Guild has first-hand impressions and experiences of interest.

Cattlemen to Meet.

A meeting of cattlemen in Los Angeles on the 26th inst., at 10 a.m., has been called by the California Cattlemen's Association at the instigation of the Food Administration. The meeting will be a review of past and present-day conditions, and a discussion of ways and means for the future. The Chamber of Commerce has tendered the use of Room D for the meeting.

For "Muir Day" Observance.

"Muir Day" will be observed by members of the Southern California section of the Sierra Club with a special programme this evening at Muir Lodge in Big Santa Anita Canyon. Persons who knew the great Scotch-American naturalist will be among the speakers. Miss Mary Frances Kellogg of Pasadena is in charge of the arrangements. About seventy-five persons are expected to be present.

Orphans' Home.

The following half orphans have been admitted to the Los Angeles Orphans' Home since date of last publication: Signe Erickson, female, age 12, mother; Rex Shadrick, male, age 11, mother; Eva Shadrick, female, age 6, mother; Max Shadrick, male, age 3, mother; Herbert Otterline, male, age 5, mother; Ruth Otterline, female, age 3, mother; Theodore Prutsman, male, age 12, mother; Joe Prutsman, male, age 8, mother; Paul Prutsman, male, age 6, mother.

City Club Meeting.

Mme. Angelini will address the City Club at its regular meeting this noon, at the Broadway Department Store Cafe, on the subject "Italy's Part in the War." Mme. Angelini is an American woman who married one of the leading Protestant ministers of Italy. She is in this country under the auspices of the Italian government, being sent here for the purpose of informing America of Italy's efforts for democracy. The new officers recently elected will be installed.

Red Cross Activities.

An invitation has been extended by the Y.W.C.A. Red Cross auxiliary to business women to enlist in the classes organized at the association for the purpose of making surgical dressings. The association reports that on Wednesday evening 500 dressings were made. In addition to workers in the surgical-dressing section, young girls to make aviation jackets and toothbrush holders and women to help in manufacturing hospital garments are badly needed.

Pennsylvania Picnic.

All day today the Pennsylvania State Society will picnic at Sycamore Grove. Registration will begin at 9 o'clock. From 11:30 until 2 there will be a basket lunch. At 2 o'clock the formal programme will begin under the charge of the president of the Southern California Pennsylvania State Society, Doncaster G. Humm. From 3 until 4 o'clock there will be field-day sports under the charge of Col. Sam Brown. Among the speakers will be representatives of the American Red Cross and the former president, A. W. Frye. The address of the day will be made by Superintendent of Schools Albert Shiels. All former residents of Pennsylvania, who are now in Southern California, are invited.

FINED AND SENTENCED.

Grace Barber, convicted of conducting a disorderly house in San Diego, within five miles of Camp Kearny, was fined $100 and given a sentence of thirty days in the San Diego County Jail by Judge Trippet yesterday. The jury that convicted her recommended mercy, and the court said the recommendation was an embarrassment.

CONFESSES HE FLED TO EVADE THE DRAFT.

MARYSVILLE MAN CAPTURED IN MEXICO BY OFFICERS OF CUSTOMHOUSE.

In a report transmitted to Collector Elliott yesterday by Deputy Customs Collector Evans, at Tia Juana, W. P. Richards of Marysville, Cal., who was arrested by the Mexican police and military ten miles south of the border, admits that he left Marysville in order to escape the draft. The report states that Mrs. Richards, on whose person $1770 was found, claims the money as her personal property. But under the ruling of Collector Elliott the cash is subject to confiscation because it was not declared at the customhouse before the party crossed, and it makes no difference who owned the money.

The Richards made an effort to escape. When first apprehended they were fined by the Mexican authorities for taking guns across the line without a permit, and continued on their journey toward the interior. They had two heavily loaded burros with them.

Later on they were overtaken by Evans and two Mexican soldiers, and the party started back toward the United States, but balked when they came to the line. Evans and his escort left the prisoners to go to Tia Juana for the Mexican police and while they were gone the Richards escaped into the brush. An all-day and night search was unavailing. Then the custom officers and the Mexican police went to the ranch where the supplies and burros had been kept and confiscated them, at the same time making arrangements to be notified when the man and woman should appear.

The following day Richards and his wife returned to the ranch almost starved, and were captured.

GRAND JURY ELECTION INQUIRY POSTPONED.

INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGED WATTS, VENICE ERRORS TO START MONDAY.

The county grand jury will take up the matter of alleged election frauds at the recent Watts and Venice dry elections on Monday morning. County investigators submitted their reports yesterday. No further witnesses are to be examined, it was announced.

It is understood that the grand jury will go exhaustively into the Watts election, disposing of it before taking up the alleged Venice irregularities.

Two witnesses, City Marshal O. F. Greenwood of Burbank and R. O. Church of the First National Bank of that city, were yesterday examined by the Criminal Complaints Committee in a general investigation of municipal affairs at Burbank.

This new investigation was undertaken as an aftermath of the alleged peculations of George M. Olin, City Treasurer, who disappeared recently with $5000 of the city's funds, it is alleged. It developed yesterday that Olin's books are still in the hands of experts and it is hinted that the accounts of the missing treasurer may reach as high as $10,000.

A case charging embezzlement of city funds was recently dismissed by Justice Summerfield against Marshal Greenwood on the ground that the action was more the result of a factional dispute. The Marshal was charged with irregularities in the matter of keeping his accounts as poundkeeper.

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS SPED ON THEIR WAY.

Every soldier, sailor or marine who leaves Los Angeles on his way to training camp or ship is given a hearty good-by by workers from the city's Soldiers' and Sailors' Welfare Commission.

Twenty-three recruits were sped on their way yesterday from the depots. Two had enlisted at the naval recruiting station and were on their way to San Diego; nine from the army station, ten had volunteered for the Marines and with two naval recruits were starting for Mare Island.

A bronze emblem showing that Los Angeles honors her men who have enlisted was given each man, together with current magazines, cigars, cigarettes and chewing gum. The committee yesterday was headed by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Surdam.

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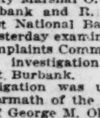

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Harry Chandler, President and General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of March, 1918:

MARCH, 1918.	Copies.
March 1	70,885
March 2	76,929
March 3 (Sunday)	125,250
March 4	78,051
March 5	76,049
March 6	75,847
March 7	75,868
March 8	75,961
March 9	76,200
March 10 (Sunday)	126,000
March 11	76,425
March 12	76,275
March 13	76,856
March 14	76,878
March 15	76,270
March 16	76,076
March 17 (Sunday)	124,500
March 18	76,506
March 19	76,509
March 20	76,470
March 21	76,310
March 22	77,260
March 23	76,500
March 24 (Sunday)	127,880
March 25	78,110
March 26	79,318
March 27	79,273
March 28	78,261
March 29	47,047
March 30	75,685
March 31 (Sunday)	123,000
Average for every day of March	85,102
Sunday only, average for March	127,828
Average every-day gain over March, 1917	12,285
Average Sunday-only gain over March, 1917	12,418

HARRY CHANDLER,
President and General Manager, The Times.

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 19.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.03; at 5 p.m., 29.99. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 65 deg. and 79 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 28 per cent.; 5 p.m., 16 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northwest, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 10 miles. Highest temperature, 83 deg.; lowest, 62 deg. Rainfall for season, 13.43 inches; last season, 14.99 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS. — The field of high pressure drifted eastward and now covers the northern half of the country. Except on the Pacific Coast, the weather within this area is both fair and cold, freezing temperatures being common to the region north of the State of Nebraska and the Ohio River. The barometric pressure is relatively low over the southern half of the United States, and heavy rainfall is reported from Galveston. Fair, warm and dry weather prevails in Southern California, and the forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity is for continued fair weather Saturday.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum and maximum temperatures from orchards reported to the Los Angeles office of the U. S. Weather Bureau yesterday are as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Mt. Wilson	67	42
Pasadena	84	55
Pomona	89	48
Redlands	82	54
Riverside	85	54
Santa Barbara	80	48
San Bernardino	81	59

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and Vicinity: Fair Saturday; cooler in west portion; moderate westerly winds.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—Weather forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Fair and cooler Saturday; moderate westerly winds.

Southern California: Fair Saturday; cooler in west portion; moderate westerly winds.

Sacramento Valley: Fair Saturday; nearly stationary temperature; gentle southerly winds.

Santa Clara Valley: Fair and cooler Saturday; moderate northwesterly winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Fair Saturday, with nearly stationary temperature; moderate northwesterly winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Forecast for Arizona: Fair Saturday and Sunday; warmer Saturday.

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (Ariz.), April 19. — [Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 10.4 feet. Discharge today, 11,500 second-feet; yesterday, 12,000 second-feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ALVAREZ—MEDRANO, Genaro Alvarez, 30; Refugia Medrano, 28.

BUTLER — REITHARDT, Charles F. Butler, 33; Sophia Reithardt, 29.

COOLEY — HUMPHRIES, William S. Cooley, 19; Ethel Humphries, 22.

CROPLEY — DEARING, Charles K. Cropley, 22; Nellie G. Dearing, 19.

CURRET—HANSON, Curtis P. Currey, 21; Ester M. Hanson, 21.

EILER—HAMMER, Rolland C. Eiler, 26; Viola M. Hammer, 22.

GARWOOD—BURBAW, William R. Garwood, 20; Katheryn E. Burbaw, 20.

GOTTFRIED—SAKY, John Gottfried, 41; Elizabet Csaky, 36.

GUERIN—LOMBARD, Henry E. Guerin, 21; Josephine Lombard, 21.

MALLOREY—ENSLEY, Arthur Mallorey, 21; Ethel Ensley, 18.

MAZZONI—ZENORINI, David Mazzoni, 35; Angie C. Zenorini, 21.

MORALES—ESTRADA, Luis Morales, 19; Erlinda Estrada, 20.

MORRISEY — GRANT, John C. Morrisey, 33; Helen D. Grant, 27.

NARA — AMEMIYA, Munetsugu Nara, 36; Kan Amemiya, 28.

RODRIGUEZ—CHAIRES, Jose Rodrigues, 24; Dorotea Chaires, 18.

SCOTT—BERREY, Clifford C. Scott, 25; Ethel M. Berrey, 23.

SMILE — TIBBATS, Harold E. Smile, 21; Nettie Tibbats, 18.

TROMBLY—POORE, Harold B. Trombly, 21; Kate E. Poore, 18.

WINSTOCK—HOWARD, S. Arthur Winstock, 28; Belle Howard, 28.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ABRAM. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel, Daughter, 1359 Elwood street, April 17.

BECKA. Mr. and Mrs. Stanislaus J. Daughter, Sisters' Hospital, April 17.

HALL. Mr. and Mrs. George W. Daughter, Sisters' Hospital, April 15.

HANGS. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar W. Boy, California Hospital, April 13.

JOHR. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford H. Daughter, 1035 South Hobart boulevard, April 17.

KEELER. Mr. and Mrs. R. Keene, Daughter, 217 East Fourteenth street, April 16.

MUENCH. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Arnaud, Daughter, Maternity Cottage, April 17.

NUTTING. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Boy, Maternity Cottage, April 16.

SMITH. Mr. and Mrs. Archie L. Boy, Clara Barton Hospital, April 17.

WOODWARD. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Boy, Los Angeles, Cal., April 12.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

ANDELIN, H. Loris against Florence S.
BOURBONNAIS, Jack against Marie.
FORBES, Mildred A. against Sidney R.
GARDNER, Mary E. against Marshall R.
HICKEY, Frank L. against Lydia L.
HUFMAN, Martha H. against Frank M.
MEYSTER, Ethel W. against Frank S.
LYLEY, John S. against Nell.
MEADS, Isabelle G. against Frank H.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

CARROLL, Daisy R. from John M.
CHOTZIANOFF, Alice from Samuel.
KIWELEWITZ, Ruth from Sam.
LEYVA, Magdalena from Antonio.
PAPPA, Leo C. from Alma G.
ROBINSON, Enid A. from Ralph S.
SANDERS, Katherine from Samuel R.
SMITH, Hattie M. from Herbert P.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
BENICE, George, Los Angeles	43	April 13
BIRDSALL, Sarah M., Los Angeles	84	April 17
BONGHTON, William H., Los Angeles	58	April 18
COLWELL, Walter S., Los Angeles	39	April 16
DIAZ, Francisco, Los Angeles	29	April 16
GRIDLEY, Rose, Los Angeles	55	April 17
HERRERA, Maria V., Los Angeles	22	April 17
LUJAN, Louise, Los Angeles	0	April 17
MAGNUSSON, Matilda, Los Angeles	60	April 18

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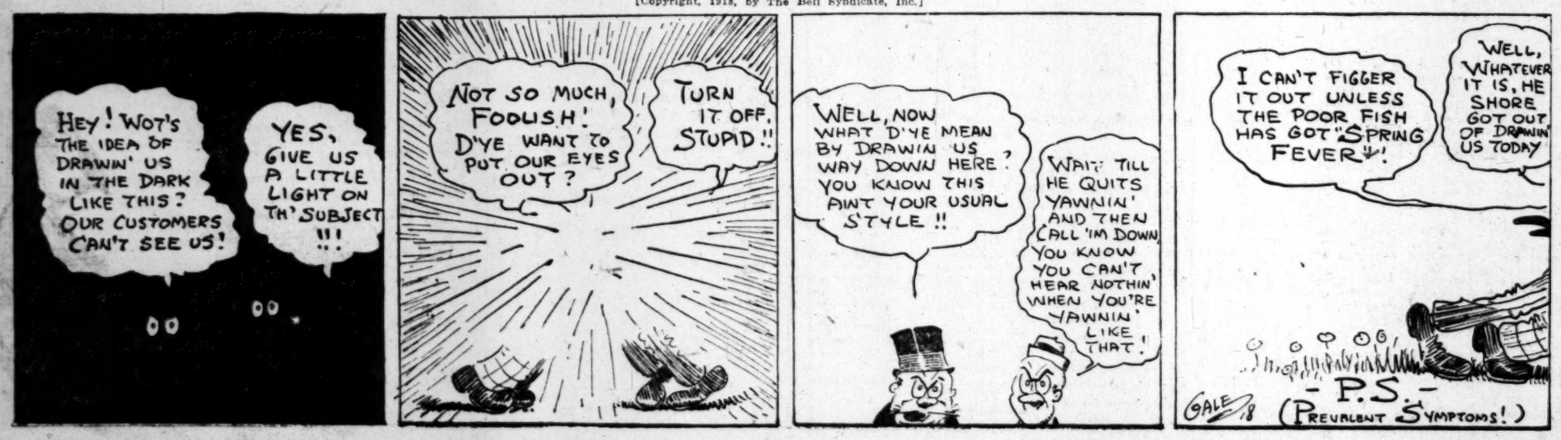

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OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

DEATHS.

If We'd had 'Em There.

AYS WARPLANES WOULD HAVE PREVENTED DRIVE.

erica's Costly Mistakes of Past will ot be Repeated, However, Says Maj. Sligh, Visitor Here.

LES R. SLIGH, formerly ad of the Equipment Divi- United States Aircraft ll a major in the United ral Corps, said last night Clark Hotel that if the Ameri- aft programme had been up ds the present drive of mans army never could have

ave received word from a gh in military circles, now at ng, stating, that if there had 00 battle planes with the troops in France, Ger- ould never have made a dent Indistic line," he said. original schedule called for planes. Two thousand were dy by the first of this year 00 each succeeding month o Congressional inquiry ay, they have been unable remotely approach this pro-

government has established mbly plant in France and ench type machines are to bled there. In Italy they ding 250 of the Italian type programme."

Peculiar.

TRESS DIES SUDDENLY; AUTHORITIES PUZZLED.

Coroner's office is puzzled r the peculiar case of Miss bel Harvey, a Lasky mo- e actress, who lived at 0 The street, who died sud- at the Sisters' Hospital r afternoon.

ung woman was injured two s, but supposedly had re- Sunday, while several iends were in her room, and fell from her chair ist of a telephone conver- ysician, Dr. John L. Par- lared that the autopsy Sutch.

showed no injury to the scalp or bone, and that it will be difficult to determine whether hemorrhage caused her to faint, or occurred when she struck the floor. Dr. Carl Kurtz of the insurance company covering the Lasky studios did not know whether the original accident occurred during her studio work or not, but thought the insurance company would not be affected.

Miss Harvey's sister started from Philadelphia when notified of the first accident, but has not yet arrived. The mother lives in Australia. It has not been determined whether an inquest will be held. The body lies at the mortuary of W. A.

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FOURTH FLOOR.

Electric Current.

PROTEST SENT TO PASADENA.

Proposed Edison Lease not Fuel Conservation.

Public Service Commission Issues Statement.

Contract with Los Angeles Should be Continued.

Formal protest was made by the Board of Public Service Commissioners yesterday against the project of the city of Pasadena to enter into an agreement to lease for two years the distributing system of the Southern California Edison Company in that city, with an option to purchase, and with a provision that the city of Pasadena must purchase all of its electric current from the company.

The board declares that the city of Los Angeles is prepared to continue to furnish to Pasadena all the current required by that municipality, and that the programme proposed would not be consistent with the government's plans for fuel conservation.

The formal statement, adopted at yesterday's meeting of the board, is to be sent to the City Commissioners of Pasadena, the State Railroad Commission, D. M. Folsom, Federal oil director for the Pacific Coast, and the Southern California Edison Company, as well as to the Los Angeles City Attorney and the City Council.

TERMS OF PROTEST.

The statement, after reviewing the various steps that have been taken to conserve fuel oil, and the city's contract with Pasadena for furnishing that municipality with power, and Pasadena's alleged intention to lease the private distributing system, says:

"In view of these circumstances, this board feels impelled to state that the city of Los Angeles has furnished and, in good faith, contracted to continue to furnish electric power to the city of Pasadena, after careful consideration and upon the advice of its attorneys to the effect that such demand for power by Pasadena, from the city's hydro-electric plants, must take precedence over the furnishing of any power whatever under the operating agreement with the Edison Company.

ABLE TO SUPPLY.

"Furthermore, the city's plants are now furnishing, and are in a position to continue to furnish, in addition to power required for the electric service connected to the municipal distributing system of Los Angeles, and the power required for the service connected to the municipal system of Pasadena, all of the power contemplated to be furnished from the city's plants under the operating agreement with the Edison Company, to-wit: the difference between the minimum of 25,000 horse power to be furnished by the company under said operating agreement and the total requirements of the company's consumers within the city of Los Angeles.

"The city of Los Angeles is prepared to continue furnishing all the power requirements, in fact, to fulfil all its obligations under its contract with Pasadena, and if it appears, as previously claimed, that Pasadena's requirements cannot be supplied from any other source consistently with the programme of fuel conservation.

"The Board of Public Service Commissioners believes it to be its duty to call the above matters to the attention of each one of you."

AMUSE PRISONERS.

An instrumental and vocal entertainment was afforded 125 prisoners in the City Jail last night by the Misses Ruth and Erma Lacy, Miss Violet Shannon and Miss Mildred Arenz, four singers who rendered a number of popular song and dance numbers. The Misses Lacy are sisters of Principal J. Samuel Lacy of the City Jail Night School, which is operated under the auspices of the Board of Education. The entertainment was given in the big cell or "bull pen" of the city prison.

"SAMMY" BRINGS BACON HOME.

Only It's Beef and Nets Red Cross Three Thousand Hard Dollars.

"Sammy," Julius Hauser's blue-ribbon Hereford steer, netted $3000 for the Red Cross at the Hauser Livestock Show auction last night. Auctioneer Frank Keenan knocked him down first for $1600 to Carl Leonardt, who promptly turned him back to be resold. This time Young's Market got him for $1400.

Mr. Hauser also gave four prize lambs, the sale of which, with some resales, brought in $1055 more for the Red Cross. The various purchasers and second purchasers were Matthew Everhardy, Louis Streuber, Young's Market, Andrew Joughin, Vail & Co., L. S. Blankiron and Roy Farr. One lamb was sold four times and brought a total of $405. A pure-bred Poland China sow was sold three times for a total of $335.

Mr. Hauser was warmly praised for his public-spirited and patriotic work by Mr. Keenan. The money raised is to go to equip Red Cross ambulances overseas.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Granddaughter of Famous Munitions Maker to Marry Man from Connecticut.

The engagement of Miss Marion Louise Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norton Lester Edwards, of No. 191 North El Molino street, and granddaughter of the late Charles A. Hotchkiss, munitions manufacturer, and niece of Benjamin Berkeley Hotchkiss, inventor of the Hotchkiss rapid-fire gun, was announced in Pasadena yesterday, to William Wallace Nichols of Bridgeport, Ct.

The prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Nichols of Bridgeport. The engagement is the culmination of a life-long romance, the couple playing together as children when the families lived side by side in the eastern city and before the bride-elect came to Southern California with her family. The wedding, the date of which has not been set, will unite two of the oldest families in New England.

Mr. Nichols is engaged in the real estate and insurance business with his father. At the present time he is spending some months in California, a visitor at the home of Miss Edwards.

The arms plant of the uncle of Miss Edwards is located at St. Denis, France.

FRIEND IDENTIFIES SLAIN WOMAN'S BODY.

The body of the woman killed Thursday when hit by a street car in South Pasadena, was identified yesterday as that of Miss Julia B. Clifford, a retired school teacher of Indianapolis, Ind. The identification was made by Mrs. I. B. Jargo of No. 1725 Vine street, Alhambra. Miss Clifford had been in California since last November and had been a guest of Mrs. Jargo for that time.

The body is at the undertaking rooms of Turner, Stevens & Berry, No. 1417 Mission street, South Pasadena, where it was taken following the accident.

CHIMNEY SPARKS START FIRE.

Sparks from a chimney last night caused a fire in the home of Mrs. F. C. Mitchell at No. 770 East Twelfth street, which damaged the house to the extent of $500 and also caused a damage of $80 to the home of E. O. Winnan at No. 744 East Twelfth street. The losses are covered by insurance.

Spicy.

IDENTIFIED AS OTHER WOMAN.

"I Never Forget Faces," Says a Woman Witness.

Visits to Canyon Cabin Told in Murdock Case.

Widow Amplifies Testimony About "Two Fools."

"That is the young lady; I never forget faces."

Thus Dr. Mary Jennings of Hollywood Glen positively identified Miss Lulu Bowyer, sitting in Judge Finlayson's court yesterday, as the companion of Fletcher W Murdock on his week-end visits to the Crowder Cabin in Laurel Canyon, last summer.

Miss Bowyer, who is the alleged other woman in Mrs. Edith de Barros Murdock's divorce action, and who will be a witness in Mrs. Murdock's suit against her husband to recover $17,750, which she says she gave him on the representation that he had been and would be true to her, is in court to fight for her good name.

Already the trial of this suit has developed many angles. Yesterday there was injected an allegation of larceny. The day before it was a recital of the alleged amours of Mr. Murdock with other women. The larceny allegation revolves around the jewelry of Mrs. Murdock, a Brazilian heiress, which she charges has been stolen from her.

Attorney Morrow made a tentative effort to bring this angle out when Dr. F. S. Dillingham and later his wife was on the stand. But the objections of Attorney Meserve were so stringent that Attorney Morrow's question was not allowed to be answered.

CHANGES TESTIMONY.

Another angle developed yesterday when Dr. Dillingham came back to the stand to change his testimony with reference to the letter Mr. Murdock wrote him and which was a confession, it would appear, of misconduct. Judge Finlayson allowed the introduction of the letter, on the ground that Dr. Dillingham had given his consent to its being used in the trial of the case.

Yesterday it was testified that Dr. Dillingham had consented to the letter being taken from his files and turned over to Earl Rogers, who at that time represented Mrs. Murdock. If his testimony is uncontradicted, the letter may be withdrawn.

Dr. Jennings detailed how she first met Mr. Murdock. The latter, it seemed, had been asked to carry water, as a favor, to Dr. Jennings's home and drove up in his machine. He introduced his companion as "Mrs. Bowyer," it was said.

"The young lady was chatting with my daughter and my niece," said Dr. Jennings. "Then he jumped into the machine, leaving my daughter and my niece. I said to Mr. Murdock:

"Well!"

"He replied: 'She is jealous.' There was no excuse for the young lady hurriedly jumping into the machine and leaving the girls," said Dr. Jennings. "They drove to the Crowder Cabin. I saw them at the cabin. The girls came and told me."

SAW THEM THERE.

W. P. Magee, manager of a large ranch near Capistrano, testified that he had seen Mr. Murdock and Miss Bowyer in a camp there just before the trout season opened last April.

Attorney Morrow asked Mrs. Alice Swearingen, a widow, if she had not said some time ago that Mr. Murdock and herself had made love at the cabin like two fools.

"That was our conclusion," she replied. "Perhaps I said we acted like two fools."

The case will again be resumed Monday.

HOLD FUNERAL TODAY FOR LATE REGISTER.

The friends and relatives of John D. Roche, late register of the Los Angeles Land Office, will pay their last tribute to his memory at services to be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the undertaking parlors of W. H. Sutch, at Ninth and Figueroa streets. Rev. Dr. Marshall, pastor of the St. Anthanasius Episcopal Church of which the deceased was a member, will officiate. Interment will follow at Rosedale Cemetery.

The associates of the late official at the Federal Building have united in furnishing a beautiful tribute that will be placed on the casket before the services. The local Land Office will be closed all day as a mark of respect.

Her Good Name at Stake in Suit.

Miss Lulu Bowyer (right) and companion.

The first is named as the cause of her domestic infelicity in Brazilian heiress's divorce complaint.

Watch for It.

TANK DRIVE IN STREETS TO SELL LIBERTY BONDS.

Stars of Stage and Film Plan to Use War Methods for War Loan.

THE British "tank," which has played such an important part in the campaign of the Allied armies in France, is to figure conspicuously in the Los Angeles Liberty Bond campaign during the next few days.

Beginning tonight at Central Park the screen stars of Southern California motion-picture studios will take charge of an exhibition "tank" and participate in a gigantic drive to see which detachment can sell the greatest number of small-denomination Liberty Bonds in a single evening. Sessue Hayakawa, the Japanese film actor, will be pilot of the tank during its initial onslaught.

Six teams of film favorites representing the most important motion-picture studios here will compete in the drive. They will be assisted by four-minute speakers from Liberty Bond headquarters. The plan for this unique contest was evolved yesterday by the Publicity Committees of the Liberty Loan campaign. It was taken up and completed by J. C. Jassen, local representative of a New York motion-picture magazine.

Mr. Jessen arranged the details at the suggestion of the Liberty Loan Committee. A meeting of studio directors was called and they heartily indorsed the plan. It was decided that teams of from one to three stars from each studio should participate, and the studios chose their night by drawing lots.

The Haworth Studio got the first date, and tonight its big stars, Sessue Hayakawa and Tsura Aoki, the Japanese players, will conduct the bond drive on the "tank," beginning at 8 o'clock and continuing until 9:30 o'clock. A four-minute speaker will assist them, and the negro jazz band that has been playing at bond booths on the streets this week will furnish syncopation for the occasion.

Monday night Bert Lytell will take charge of the "tank" for the Metro studio. He will be assisted by Viola Dana and Edith Storey. Tuesday evening the Triangle Players will conduct the big bond sale, and Wednesday night the Fox Studio stars will undertake to outsell all the film players who have gone before. Thursday will be Paramount Studio night. Friday belongs to the Triangle Players and a week from this evening Clara Kimball Young and Constance Talmadge of the Select Pictures will make the closing drive and undertake to lower all previous records.

Supplementing this star offensive, J. A. Quinn, the theater manager, assisted by Harry McCoy, is undertaking the organization of a committee of motion-picture actresses who will sell Liberty Bonds next week from small booths in the lobbies of local picture theaters during the afternoons and evenings.

This plan was originated yesterday, and has not been completely developed, but Messrs. Quinn and McCoy expect to call a meeting of screen actresses Monday in order to finish their arrangements. The object of this campaign will be to distribute large quantities of small-denomination bonds while the people are going to and from the theaters.

WOMEN TO MEET.

Mrs. J. T. Anderson, chairman of the women's campaign in the city and county, yesterday arranged to hold a mass meeting of the women workers at the Alexandria Hotel during the afternoon of April 26, which President Wilson has designated as Liberty Bond Day.

This will be the first get-together meeting of the women campaigners since they undertook their drive, and Mrs. Anderson says she would like it understood that it will be "no banquet."

"The women are food conservers," says she, "and we are going to eat crusts at home before assembling for the rally. We will get together at 1 p.m., have a few talks by such men as Henry S. McKee and Robert Moulton, then make out reports, and spend the remainder of the afternoon in selling bonds."

Arrangements have been made to

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Enthusiasm.

SPEED WORK ON RELIEF CARGO.

Committees Active Gathering Supplies for France.

Convenient Downtown Room is Pressing Need.

Women Aiding Business Men in Securing Donations.

Chamber of Commerce sub-committees in charge of various phases of the undertaking to send a relief cargo to France were actively at work yesterday. The matter of securing a convenient downtown room where donations can be received and classified is regarded as one needing immediate attention. The Storage Committee, of which W. I. Hollingsworth is chairman has this in charge and will meet at the Chamber of Commerce this morning. If possible, a room will be secured and made available for use today.

The general committee, of which Arthur Letts is chairman, is one of the strongest bodies ever representing the chamber and has been divided by Mr. Letts into the following sub-committees, the first named, in each instance being the chairman.

SUB-COMMITTEES.

Executive, L. N. Brunswig, Edward D. Lyman, Harold Arnold; Finance, George Fusenot, L. J. Christopher, Mrs. R. L. Craig, Louis Sentous, Jr., W. I. Hollingsworth, John Willis Baer; Presentation to Other Bodies, Frank H. Walsh, F. J. Mullen, C. S. Hutson, Leo Jacoby, G. B. Logan, Philo J. Beveridge, Everett R. Perry, Harold Janss, S. L. Weaver; Storage, W. I. Hollingsworth, Arthur Letts, Jr., John T. Gaffey, N. Bonfilio, Malcolm McNaghten; Loading, Dean Mason, J. N. Russell, Donald H. Fry, Leo L. Gibson; Clothing, Arthur Letts, Jr., Leo Jacoby, W. B. Corwin, Walter E. Smith, Donald H. Fry; Provisions, Miss Frances Helmes, B. N. Coffman, Mrs. R. L. Craig, Mrs. Willoughby Rodman, S. B. Rivers, Frank Pellisier J. M. Kirkland, R. H. Miller; Implements and Garden Tools, B. N. Coffman, C. F. Axelson, Sidney M. Haskell; Transportation, Alex McKeigan, A. G. McCormick, Russell McD. Taylor.

WOMEN TO HELP.

Mrs. Willoughby Rodman was made chairman of a Ladies' Auxiliary Committee with power to name her committee. Representatives of various clubs and organizations will probably act on this committee. Thomas Ridgway was named chairman of the Soliciting Committee, Edward D. Lyman is vice-chairman, and Russell McD. Taylor is secretary.

Other members are Mrs. A. E. Bilicke, Mrs. A. C. Balch, Mrs. Ellis Bryant, Mrs. Hugh Livingston Macneil, Mrs. Wesley Clark, Mrs. Louise Naud, Mrs. H. F. Wing, Mrs. Howard Huntington, Mrs. Andrew S. Lobin-

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Torn Again.

VENICE CITY OFFICIAL OUSTED; RECALL LOOMS.

POLITICALLY-RENT Venice entered a new stage of "tempus politicus" at a meeting of the Board of Trustees last night when a new recall election was threatened by Clyde Holbrook, former Mayor, when he was ousted from his present position as Tax and License Collector.

As in events of this nature in the past, the Trustees' meeting was a near-riot. A resolution was presented by John G. Harrah, Trustee, that the office of Tax and License Collector be declared vacant. Following a heated debate in which E. A. Gerety, once Mayor and later accused of soliciting a bribe, declared the action to be "a dirty political trick," the resolution carried, Trustees Harris, Harrah and Coles voting "aye" and Trustees Lutz and Gerety voting "no."

Hardly had the resolution been adopted when Trustee Harrah proposed that Tom Wilde, defeated at the last election as City Clerk, be nominated to fill the place. This resolution was adopted in lightning-like order with the Trustees voting as on the previous measure.

Following the action of the Trustees, Holbrook, who was present at the meeting, demanded that he be placed on record to the effect that Harrah had approached him yesterday morning and told him that if he did not drop the suit instigated by him and now pending for a recount of votes in the recent election, he would lose his job.

According to the Venice wiseacres, Harrah, Harris and Coles represent one faction in the new political fight and Lutz and Gerety the other. Holbrook was defeated by Harris by one vote. Holbrook immediately brought suit for a recount and since that time, it is said the opposing forces have been lining up to oust him.

Overdue Collier.

CYCLOPS MAY BE SAFE, WIRE HERE INDICATES.

THAT the missing navy collier Cyclops, for which the Navy Department has been searching in vain, has not been destroyed by the enemy is hinted in a telegram received by Mrs. Ray Hutchins of No. 1226 West Thirtieth street, last night, from her son, Wheeler Hutchins, a sailor on the battleship Pueblo.

"Ray is safe," he telegraphed from an Atlantic port, meaning that his twin brother, Ray Hutchins, who was on the Cyclops, has not gone down a victim of submarine activities. Wheeler Hutchins telegraphed from a New Jersey port on Wednesday, telling his mother he feared the Cyclops was lost, but yesterday he reversed his opinion and seemed possessed of accurate information.

Mrs. Hutchins says she believes her son Wheeler is in possession of facts that are authentic. He has been on furlough for several days and his position in the navy might make it possible for him to have inside facts regarding the Cyclops.

The collier is more than a month overdue in port. Her wireless has not communicated with any station during that time, so far as the United States government has announced, and a careful search of all trade routes has failed to locate her.

She was given up as lost by the Navy Department several days ago, but the Hutchins family here has not received word from Washington as yet announcing the probably death of Ray Hutchins. The Hutchins boys are twins, aged 19. Besides their mother, they have two sisters and another brother here, and a father in North Dakota.

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"But if any provide not for his own, and specially for those of his own house, he hath denied the faith, and is worse than an infidel." First Timothy, v:8.

This is the spirit that the First Congregational Church makes applicable to the Liberty Bonds. It believes that every American man's and woman's house is the government of the United States, and that in this special time of stress, particular care must be taken to provide for its necessities. To this end the services in this church tomorrow morning will be particularly for the purpose of advancing the subscriptions to the third Liberty Loan.

Precedent will be overturned, and Liberty Bonds will be sold from the pulpit by the preacher, Dr. Carl S. Patton. Berthren will exhort the members of the congregation to buy, as the deed is considered well worth performing on this holy day.

Dr. Patton will give a rousing patriotic address, and Justice Curtis D. Wilbur of the California State Supreme Court will give a five-minute talk. Mme. Strotte will sing "The Marseillaise," Mrs. Edith Sage MacDonald will sing "The Song of France," and the choir will sing "America," "Star Spangled Banner" and other patriotic music.

Dr. Patton's patriotic sermon of last Sunday morning has been used to good advantage during the week in the Liberty Loan campaign. He has repeated it on three occasions during the past few days; the first time last Monday afternoon, before the Ebell Club, as a result of which the members of this strongly-patriotic organization went "over the top" with subscriptions amounting to $23,000 in addition to the $32,000 already subscribed.

On Tuesday evening Dr. Patton gave his thrilling address before the Brotherhood of the First Congregational Church in Pasadena, and on Wednesday again repeated it before the students of Woodbury Business College. Tomorrow evening the chorus choir and soloists of Dr. Patton's church will repeat the Easter cantata, the entire evening being given over to music of a high order. The Wednesday night Bible classes, which have been such a popular feature at this church during the winter, will be discontinued after next Wednesday evening.

Tomorrow afternoon, from 3 to 6 o'clock, the soldiers and sailors will be the guests of the church at the regular monthly "at home." A feature of the refreshments will be a birthday cake made by one of the "Liberty girls."

LUTHERAN CONFERENCE.
TWO DAYS' EVENT COMING.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the annual meeting of the Southern Conference of the California Synod, which will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Euclid avenue and Eagle street. At these meetings scores of ministers and lay delegates from all the Lutheran churches, from San Diego to Santa Barbara, and from Long Beach, to San Bernardino, will be present to discuss topics of mutual interest to the individual churches and to Lutheranism in general.

Among the speakers will be Rev. Herbert J. Weaver of Riverside, who will deliver an address on "The Word of God;" Rev. J. E. Stermer of Santa Barbara, who will speak on "Pastoral Visitation;" Rev. W. H. Derr of Pasadena, who will speak on "Pastoral Visitation;" Rev. W. H. Derr of Pasadena, who will speak on the new hymnal of the Lutheran church, and Rev. B. J. Snyder of Long Beach, who will present a paper on "How to Advance Bible Study in Our Congregations." Rev. J. E. Holt will speak on the subject, "The Mystical Union;" Dr. E. P. Schueler will talk on "Church Advertising," and Dr. Ball will speak on "Home Missionary Problems."

Special interest will be centered in the evening programmes. On Tuesday evening Miss Jessie Drewer, a missionary to India, en route to her field of labor, will deliver an address on missionary work, and on Wednesday evening Rev. W. S. Dysinger will make a special address to the young people. On Wednesday, also, representatives of the missionary societies of the Lutheran churches of the Southland will hold a conference in the ladies' parlor of the Y.M.C.A. clubhouse on Stephenson avenue.

FIRST METHODIST.
DR. LOCKE'S SERMONS.

"God Lives" will be the sermon theme of Dr. Charles Edward Locke tomorrow morning in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Sixth and Hill streets. In the evening he will give a patriotic address on the subjects of "Hold On, Haig, Hold On! Some Wonderful Stories of What Horses and Dogs are Doing in the Great War. Mercy Sunday." Fine musical features have been arranged for each service.

AT IMMANUEL.
DR. FOULKES TO SPEAK.

Dr. William Hiram Foulkes, secretary of the Board of Ministerial Relief of the Presbyterian Church, will preach tomorrow morning in Immanuel Presbyterian Church, Tenth and Figueroa streets. Dr. Foulkes formerly was a pastor in Portland, and—later in New York. He is now touring the country with Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman for the National Service Commission of the Presbyterian Church. Tomorrow night Rev. Herbert Booth Smith will speak on the subject: "Shall We Recognize Our Loved Ones in Heaven?" As a prelude, he will speak on "Why I prefer Liberty Bonds to German Bonds."

DR. GUILD'S LECTURES.
EAST HOLLYWOOD CHURCH.

Dr. Lewis Thurber Guild, the recently-appointed pastor of the East Hollywood Methodist Episcopal Church, Hollywood boulevard and Normandie avenue, who is a Chautauqua lecturer of national reputation, will give a series of lectures on Sunday evenings in this church, which he is to deliver in Eastern Chautauquas during the coming summer. These will begin tomorrow evening, and are sure to attract people from many parts of Los Angeles. His subject will be "Joan of Arc." This will be followed on successive Sunday evenings by lectures on "Jean Vanjean," "Lands Once Trod by Blessed Feet," "The Crescent and the Cross." Each of these lectures involves present conditions in the old world as Dr. Guild returned from an extended trip abroad just before the war broke out. Dr. Charles Coke Wood will preach at the morning services.

REYNOLD E. BLIGHT.
CHURCH OF THE PEOPLE.

"The Religion of a Healthy Mind" will be the subject of Reynold E. Blight before the Church of the People, Blanchard Hall, No. 233 South Broadway, tomorrow morning. In a prelude, Mr. Blight will read some poems from Ella Wheeler Wilcox's new book, "Sonnets of Sorrow and Triumph," representing Mrs. Wilcox's maturest thought on death and immortality, and written during hours of bitter bereavement. A musical programme will be rendered by Mrs. W. R. Tanner, pianist, and J. Mallinson, baritone.

INSTALLATION.
PASTOR GOES TO AZUSA.

Dr. Frank Macquarie Moxon, who formerly was assistant pastor at Immanuel Presbyterian Church, will be installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Azusa next Friday evening. The speakers will be Dr. Silas Evans, president of Occidental College; Rev. Herbert Booth Smith, pastor of Immanuel Church, and Dr. A. B. Prichard, pastor of the Vermont-avenue Presbyterian Church.

AT ST. PAUL'S.
PRO-CATHEDRAL SERVICES.

"The Dew of the Eternal Presence," a sermon telling the story of a man who discovered what the consciousness meant as a sustaining power in the hour of great calamity," will be preached by Dean William MacCormack tomorrow morning in St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, Olive street, opposite Central Park. His evening sermon will be on "The Glory of Doing Without." The Dean at this service will answer a number of questions that have come to him, among them being: "Why do United States soldiers wear shoddy?" "Why have we not more men in France?" "Why have we not sent across more submarine destroyers?"

FOR THE BABIES.
AND FOR THEIR MOTHERS.

A special sermon for the babies and their mothers will be given by Rev. S. M. Bernard tomorrow morning in the Pico Heights Christian Church, No. 1324 Berendo street. His subject will be "The Baby Moses." Six songs appropriate to babyhood will be sung. The Cradle Roll and the mothers of these babies will be in attendance and all mothers of the neighborhood are invited to attend and bring their babies.

CAMP KEARNY DAY.
PATRIOTIC PROGRAMMES.

The Hollywood Christian Church will celebrate "Camp Kearny Day" tomorrow with special exercises in both Sunday-school and church services. There will be programmes of patriotic music and addresses by Rev. Lloyd Darsie, former pastor, and now in charge of Y.M.C.A. war work at the Los Angeles Harbor. His theme will be "The War Work in the Cantonments." Soldiers and sailors are invited to attend and to be the guests of the families of the church for dinner. In the evening Dr. W. F. Richardson will preach on "A Religion for Young People."

PROPHETICAL ADDRESSES.
SERIES IN BETHESDA CHURCH.

"Th Perfect Day, or the Final Abode of the Redeemed," will be the subject of Dr. Edward Martin Cobb tomorrow morning in Bethesda Presbyterian Church, Clanton street and Paloma avenue. In the evening Dr. Henry A. Dowling will speak on "Vision, Vigor and Victory." On the following Sunday in this church there will begin a series of prophetical addresses with stereopticon lectures on the Holy Land. The series will run through the entire week, with services every afternoon and evening. Some of the speakers will be Dr. F. W. Farr, Mrs. A. L. Dennis, Miss Louise Wells, Miss Inga Peterson, Miss M. E. Roozel, Prof. B. F. Schister, Rev. George W. Davis, Dr. J. R. Pratt. H. C. Blaney will render special music, assisted by a large choir. James E. Cobb will read poems on Palestine.

PATRIOTIC SERVICES.
DEDICATION OF SERVICE FLAG.

Special patriotic services will be held in the Arlington Heights Methodist Episcopal Church, Fifth avenue and West Washington street, tomorrow morning, and a service flag will be dedicated in honor of the twelve young men who have gone from the church to service under the American flag. Rev. W. C. Menefie, D.D., Ph. D., fellow of the Royal Society of London, who holds the rank of chaplain of the National Guard of London, will deliver an address. In the evening Dr. William W. Cookman will speak, and a special programme of patriotic music will be rendered.

TRINITY AUDITORIUM.
FEATURES FOR THE DAY.

Dr. Charles C. Selecman, who will leave on Monday for Atlanta, as a delegate to the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, will preach tomorrow morning in Trinity Auditorium, Ninth street and Grand avenue, on the subject of "Out of the Depths." His evening subject will be "The Merciful Man," in behalf of the American Red Star Animal Relief. Mrs. Claire Hosler Coombs will give a brief address on "Across No Man's Land," and Miss Marion Ward will give readings. Guests of honor will be members of the Optimist Club, Ad Club and Kiwanis Club. The latter will sing some of their songs. A class of new members will be received at the morning service. S. J. Haberman, who for two years has been pastor of Trinity's junior church, will spend his last Sunday with the children tomorrow before assuming work elsewhere.

TEMPLE AUDITORIUM.
VISITORS TO PREACH.

Rev. John Snape, pastor of the Hollywood Baptist Church, will preach tomorrow morning in Temple Auditorium, Olive and Fifth streets, at the services of the Temple Baptist Church. His subject will be "How to be Dead Sure You're Right." The Fisk Jubilee Singers will give several numbers. In the evening the preacher will be Dr. O. P. Gifford, of Boston, whose theme will be "Christianity's Challenge." Special musical features will be provided.

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BIBLE INSTITUTE.
FLAG'S THIRTY-EIGHT STARS.

A reception was held at the Bible Institute Thursday night, in honor of Don Youngken, who leaves with the next group of men for Camp Lewis. This makes the thirty-eighth star on the service flag of the Bible Institute, and the reception was one of patriotic fervor. Mr. Yougken, who is a graduate of the school, has been the institute's purchasing agent from its beginning, and is deservedly popular. Each day at noon the institute's chimes ring "Sweet Hour of Prayer," for the success of the war and for the preservation of her students in the service.

TOMORROW'S OFFERINGS.
THEMES OF THE PREACHERS.

In the Congregational Church of the Messiah, Washington street and Van Ness avenue, Rev. Howard Dean French tomorrow morning will preach on "Courage and Cowardice." In the evening he will give the third of a series of addresses on "A Hero's Life," the subject being "Success."

Dr. William M. Jeffers will speak in the University Methodist Episcopal Church, West Jefferson street and McClintock avenue, tomorrow morning in the interests of the University of Southern California. The pastor, Dr. W. C. Tilroe, will preach in the Westlake Methodist Episcopal Church. In the evening the pastor will speak on "The Size of Salvation." The vested chorus will sing.

"Practical Help from Believing" will be the subject of Rev. Herbert Hays tomorrow morning in the West Hollywood Presbyterian Church. In the evening he will begin a series of sermons on "The Character of Jesus," the subject being "His Friendliness."

Rev. A. C. Kleinlein will give a sermon on "The Lord's Comfort in Time of Trouble" tomorrow morning in the Olivet Congregational Church, Manhattan place and Minton, Eighth street and Normandie avenue. In the evening he will speak on "Confidence in God." Rev. J. M. Richards, pastor of the Pico Heights Congregational Church, will preach in El Molino church, Los Angeles street and El Molino streets. In the evening he will give an illustrated address on "Boys Under Fire Flags."

Justice Forbes is to be in charge of the services in the Midnight Mission, 517 South Los Angeles street, tomorrow evening. Rev. Dr. Baxter Bierman and wife will assist in the forming services. The mission will serve a substantial meal at 11 o'clock, at which time the mission is holding services every night in the week.

In Bethany Memorial Congregational Church, Pitcher street, near Highland avenue, tomorrow morning Rev. John F. Cowan will preach on "How to Maintain Personal Purity." In the evening he will give an address on "A Clock that Cannot be Put Back." "Socialism is Dead; Long Live Socialism" will be the subject of Rev. Ira Landrith's sermon tomorrow morning in the First Christian Church. Daniel Bowen will conduct the Sunday morning service of the Church of Babylon in his city's Service Class at 10:15 o'clock. The subject of "The Bible's Historical Value" will be discussed by Rev. Elmer Fay Daugherty, pastor of the First Christian Church, who will speak on "The Present Hour Task" at 10:30 o'clock. Rabbi Joseph Jonah Jacobs, Rabbi Emeritus of Congregation B'nai B'rith, Los Angeles, in the Y.M.C.A. auditorium, will speak on "The Church in War Time" at 11 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Wetherbee Jones, pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational Church, Normandie avenue and Normandie place, will preach on "Private Rep" will speak on the subject, "A special patriotic music will be rendered. Rev. W. A. M. Davis, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, will preach in the interests of the University of Southern California tomorrow morning

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COMPANIES WIN IN SUIT OF GOVERNMENT.

Continue Operations in the Kern County Field—Injunction, Receivership Denied.

companies made parties de- ant in a bill by the gov- ment, asking that they be n from further exploitation of certain lands in Kern that a receiver be ap- their properties, won a ision yesterday, in an ge here by United States ge Robert S. Bean of t, after a hearing cover- ree weeks.

covered by the bill con- out 2480 acres of land oc- the Standard, Union, As- ed United Oil companies, way Gas and Oil Com-

denied the prayer for restraining the com- further operation of erty, pending the final of the equities in the as to the United Oil which stipulated that an might follow as to its op- as it controls only about land, which up to this been non-productive. further denied the plea ointment of a receiver, that there is nothing in n warranting such in- on the part of the court.

T TO DECIDE.

ther made a part of that no further wells eloped by any of the without an order of the there must be no aban- the present operations, great damage or danger affected impends, and must be taken under the State Mining Board, and also be given the gov-

ther ordered that the erations must fur- government with monthly the amount of oil or gas and the disposition of the amount of money has and while monthly inspec- the drilling property must of the government, if such d necessary. The logs and m of the companies must the inspection of the at all times, also. Either party to the suit may move for a modification of the decree on ten days' notice, it was ruled.

MAY OPERATE WELLS.

The opinion of the court, in a few words, means that the defendant companies are to be allowed to proceed unhampered by the government in the operation of wells now developed, and that no receiver shall have control of the property, its finances or operations.

In denying the motion for the issuance of a restraining order, Judge Bean stated that it is destructive to the life of an operating well to have it abandoned, and it is dangerous to stop the production of a flowing well, for many reasons appreciated by practical oil men.

Judge Bean stated that the appointment of a receiver could only be justified when danger of destruction of property was imminent, or where it was feared that the owners might not be able to respond in financial damages if it was later on determined that the defendants were operating illegally on land that had been withdrawn from all forms of public entry.

GOVERNMENT'S SIDE.

Frank Hall, leading counsel for the government, before the decision of Judge Bean, stated that he was authorized to state that, so far as the government is concerned, there would be no objection to the development of gas wells whose product is to be used for lighting and heating purposes in Los Angeles, Bakersfield and other cities. He stated the only thing desired by the government is the conservation of the oil supply for the purposes of the navy. He asserted that he thought it just as necessary to have oil for the operations of the government at sea as to complete the big battleship California now on the ways at Mare Island.

It was agreed by counsel on both sides that permits to exploit gas wells, if an increase in the supply should be deemed necessary, could be had from the government on proper notice being given by the companies desiring to do the work.

An exception to the ruling of Judge Bean was asked for by the government, and it was announced that an appeal would be taken immediately. Judge Bean denied similar relief in a recent hearing at San Francisco, and an appeal was taken to the United States Circuit Court of Appeal, with the result that the judgment of the lower court was affirmed.

The companies affected by Judge Bean's decision are much elated over their victory. Fifteen cases in all were decided in which the Department of the Interior endeavored to have a receiver appointed. Among the contentions were that the lands had been improperly and negligently operated, allowing water to penetrate into the oil sands to the consequent detriment of the producing possibilities of the property. The companies generally disclaimed any purpose of drilling on the property during the controversy as to their right to patent, except with permission of the court, unless necessitated by the maintenance of the gas supply of Los Angeles and Bakersfield.

The fact that the court did not deem the evidence of improper management and operation sufficient to uphold the allegation is the source of considerable satisfaction to the companies involved, according to officers of one of them here.

The lands are valued at several million dollars and, in view of the legislation pending in Washington concerning many thousand acres of oil lands in California, the decision is regarded as far-reaching in its importance.

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MAN AND LARGE SUM MISSING.

Foul Play Feared in Disappearance of George Scott of Bairdstown.

Missing since March 21, and believed to have met with foul play, George Scott, 45, of No. 4957 Renovo street, Bairdstown, yesterday became the subject of a search by the police.

According to the information turned over to the detective bureau, the man left his home and was last seen at First and Spring streets by a friend of the family. He was known to have a large sum of money in his possession.

LIBERTY LOAN NOTES.

W. B. Hunnewell, director of county organizations, says that magnificent results are being shown by the country towns. Watts was asked for $13,500 and she has already raised $25,000. Long Beach has bought $1,500,000 worth of bonds and expects to make it an even $2,000,000. Seal Beach claims to have scored 400 per cent. in bond selling.

At the Schmitz Lumber Company a full-blooded Cherokee Indian bought a $50 bond yesterday.

The Los Angeles Grain Exchange raised an additional $6000, boosting its Liberty Bond total to $110,000.

A. E. Peat, chairman of the house-to-house canvass, says that 153 rams have already reported sales amounting to $92,400.

Liberty Bond mass meetings will be held today as follows: Palmdale, at Palmdale, 7:30 p.m.; La Crescenta at La Crescenta High School, 9 a.m.; Lamar de at Watts, 2 p.m.; Sons and Daughters of Veterans, No. 727, South Hill street, 8:30 p.m.; Farm Center County Convention, Van Nuys, 7:30 p.m.; Hollywood Public Market, Hollywood, 11 a.m.; Liberty Loan mass meeting, Redlands, 2 p.m.; Harvey Machine Company, No. 1353 South Los Angeles street, 12:15 p.m.; Miller Manufacturing Company, No. 219 East Washington street, noon; Pennsylvania Society, Sycamore Grove, 2:30 p.m.; Olive and Sixth street Park, 7 p.m.; Central Park tank drive, 8 p.m.; Vulcan Iron Works, North Main street.

Sunday meetings will be held as follows: Exposition Park, 2:45 p.m.; Greek Community at Eagle Hall, 2:30 p.m.; Temple Auditorium at 7:30 p.m.; Congregational Church, Forty-sixth and Normandie avenues, 7:30 p.m.; Vernon Methodist Church, Vernon and Budlong avenues, 8:30 p.m.

Mrs. J. A. Rominger, chairman of the women's campaign at Long Beach, reported last night that their total has reached $270,900, and they expect to make it $500,000.

His committeemen reported yesterday the following subscriptions: Oil Well Supply Company, $25,000; John A. Roebling Company, $5000; Young's Meat Market, employees, $15,850; Mathie Brewing Company, $10,000; employees of Mathie Brewing Company, $10,000. It is reported that every employee of the Whiting-Mead Lumber Company has invested in bonds.

At the Whiting-Mead Lumber company a man aged 86 called yesterday to pay a bill that had been running five years. He said he hadn't been able to raise the money before. While there the Industrial Organization asked him to buy a bond and he subscribed for $500 worth.

After having made a liberal subscription at an earlier meeting, Lodge No. 524 of United Commercial Travelers held a little rally Thursday night and subscribed for an additional $500 worth of bonds. They claim they are going to do the same thing at future meetings.

H. B. Emblem, sales manager of the Ice Distributing Company, called a meeting of the employees yesterday noon. Officers of the company made short talks and the employees bought $5200 worth of bonds.

James S. Riley, chairman of the Industrial Organization, says that his teams are keeping so busy that it is impossible to accurately check their results day by day, but that by the end of the campaign he expects to be able to show that fully 75 per cent. of Los Angeles industrial organizations have made 100 per cent. records in bond buying.

Mrs. A. B. Smith says that all but four houses in three blocks on Normandie avenue are flying the American flag and that one man in the precinct where she is working has borrowed money at 7 per cent. in order to buy Liberty Bonds.

Miss Gertrude Hoffman of the Macy-street school district says that the Los Angeles Stationery Manufacturing Company has made $50 Liberty Bond as community property. Last week they bought two.

Yesterday morning a Japanese gardener called at the residence of Mrs. H. Henschel, No. 630 South Wilton place, and asked where he could buy a Liberty Bond. Mrs. Henschel took his subscription and he paid the full $50 in cash.

TWO HURT BY AUTO.

Motor Truck Slides Down Hill and Turns Over, Injuring its Passengers.

Herman Quiran, 21, of No. 110 East Seventy-first street, and Charles Lion, 24, of No. 208 West Twenty-ninth street, were injured in an automobile accident yesterday when the delivery truck in which they were riding, slid off a side of a hill near Benton way and Sunset boulevard, and turned over.

Quiran was driving the car, the police say, and lost control of it when the weight of the auto started it down the hill with the brakes set. Both men were treated at the Receiving Hospital for severe lacerations and contusions of the face, head and body.

FILM PLAYERS GIVE RED CROSS BENEFIT.

LARGE PROGRAMME PRESENTED AT AFFAIR HELD AT THE MAJESTIC.

With a large number of local film folk and musicians doing their bit, the benefit for the salvage department of the Red Cross, given last evening at the Majestic Theater, netted the organization more than $1000. The benefit, given under the auspices of the local Elks Lodge, No. 99, was composed of specialty acts in which many celebrities appeared.

Olive Thomas proved herself the orator of the evening by reading the speech that her husband, Jack Pickford, gave last evening before a large New York audience, assembled at a Liberty Loan meeting. William C. De Mille presented "Kultur," the two characters in which were portrayed by Wilfred Lucas and Theodore Roberts.

William Dyer and a selected company, appearing in a vaudeville version of Willard Mack's "Kick In," were generously applauded, and were followed by Clara Kimball Young, who enthralled with her forceful recitations. They were followed by Mlle. Suworina and her dancing partner, Mons. Beke, in Russian dances. Fred Niblo appeared in a little sketch all by himself entitled "Of International Fame." Lew Cody also presented a dialect specialty. Mae Murray and Miss Zilla Withrow presented dances.

Musical features were supplied by Estelle Heartt Dreyfus, Christiaan Trimner, Anthony Carlson and Miss Mabel Melsing. George Beban, Cliff Smith, Buff Jones and company were well received in their skit, "Roping the Kaiser."

The Victor Shertzinger Quartette, Mrs. C. Trimner, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Kelly, Ned Nestor and the Jimmy Raymond Quartette gave popular melodies.

SUSPECTED ENEMY ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

PLANS OF TORPEDOES, AIRSHIPS AND OTHER DEVICES FOUND IN ROOM.

Suspected by the police of being an enemy alien who was frightened into attempting suicide because of possible discovery of his activities, Alf Kiosterud, a mechanical draughtsman, was arrested last night by Detective Sergeant McDuff and Officer Murray and taken to the Receiving Hospital for emergency treatment. The police and physicians say the man had swallowed a large amount of insect poison.

According to the detective, Kiosterud was found at No. 624 East Fifth street in a serious condition as the result of his attempted self-destruction. At the Receiving Hospital he was given emergency treatment and later was removed to the County Hospital.

The officers returned to the man's room and there found a considerable number of plans of torpedoes, airships and a patent camera device for taking pictures from airplanes. All of the effects and the drawings were confiscated and turned over to officers of Chief Butler's war squad.

An effort will be made today to trace the man's activities during the last two years. Kiosterud refused to give a reason for his act and denied that he was implicated in any enemy actions. The plans found in his possession, Kiosterud stated, were plans of his own devices.

ELMAN FAREWELL THIS AFTERNOON.

In these days, when the public is endeavoring to save in every direction, the fierce acid test of popularity will eliminate many so-called artists and prove beyond question of doubt the fame of others. In this latter class Mischa Elman, the violinist, may be included. He was welcomed at his first evening concert last Thursday with a capacity audience, which he delighted by offering the finest playing of his career. This afternoon in Trinity Auditorium he will be heard in a farewell programme, entirely different from the evening concert.

"Let's Pretend" is Grim Reality.

Mrs. Edith Hughes; Steven Robinson.

Hustlers.

STARS OF SCREEN AND STAGE TO SELL BONDS.

(Continued from First Page.)

have Marie Dressler and Mme. Aldrich sing and entertain the women workers during the meeting at the Alexandria.

Yesterday the women's committee reported substantial progress, and Mrs. Anderson says their totals are now running close to $900,000. One team yesterday turned in $10,550, all in $50 bonds, and last night another team reported $4300 in sales.

GOOD SALES.

Yesterday at the noon hour, Kimpton Ellis, John Mullen, William E. Silbertson, Frank A. Greth and Sergt. C. Rayner spoke from the booth in front of the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank at Sixth and Spring streets. At the same time Harry McCoy, the film actor, and Nellie V. Nichols, the Orpheum star, toured the business district in an auto truck. In three days Nellie Nichols has sold $12,000 worth of Liberty Bonds.

While J. Robinson Hall, the aviator, was speaking from the booth at Fifth and Spring streets yesterday, J. H. Maag, who is in charge of the booth, started a unique idea to rolling. The crowd dug up enough money in a few minutes to pay for ten $50 Liberty Bonds, which were presented to children, soldiers and Red Cross nurses. The recipients were as follows: Vera Leary, 6 years old, of No. 1472 Sunset boulevard; Ray Dougherty, 2, No. 938 West Sixtieth street; Chaplin Kimberlin, 3½, No. 1269 East Fifty-ninth street; Dora Fritz, aged 7 months, No. 2196 West Twenty-fifth street; Dorothq Friedger, 5½, No. 1400 Ramira street; Miss Margaret Keating, a Red Cross nurse of 698 West Sixth street, San Bernardino; Grover C. Atkins of Co. E, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh Infantry, Camp Kearny; Sergt. J. F. Ownsby of Company Nineteen, Coast Artillery, Fort MacArthur; and C. R. Bates of No. 502 Echo Park avenue, an honorably discharged soldier, formerly of Battery A, One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Field Battery.

Being unintentionally overlooked in the formation of the Foreign Nationalities Committee of the Liberty Loan campaign, eighteen prominent Mexican citizens held a meeting yesterday in the office of M. Mayo, No. 373 North Main street, and subscribed for $2200 worth of Liberty Bonds among themselves. They then appointed themselves as a committee and reported to Campaign Manager Moulton, who forthwith put them to work. They will canvass every Mexican family in the city.

"Blues" Win.

BATTLE OF LINDA VISTA VICTORY FOR INVADERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WITH THE SUNSHINE DIVISION IN THE FIELD (Camp Kearny) April 19.—Clashing with the ferocity born of Americanism, the "Red" and the "Blue" armies fought it out today in the battle of Linda Vista, and, though the "Reds" put up a valiant fight, they were said by even laymen to have been outdone by a combination of strategy and ability on the part of the "Blues" to stand long, forced marches.

More than 9000 men on each side engaged in the battle, which began officially yesterday at noon and ended at 12:30 o'clock today, when the umpires declared the struggle at an end by sending up a series of rockets. It was said by officers to be the most extensive battle maneuver west of the Mississippi in many years, more than 18,000 men being in the field at one time.

The "Blue" forces were commanded by Brig.-Gen. Alexander M. Tuthill, commander of the Seventy-ninth Brigade, a former Los Angeles man, and having in his present units men from Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico. The "Red" army was commanded by Brig.-Gen. Herman Hall, who maneuvered to his best advantage to prevent the destruction of supposed highly-valuable stores of military supplies and munitions at Linda Vista.

Frenzied Finance.

CHECKS IN FUN GET REAL COIN.

Young Woman and Clerk in Serious Charges.

"Make-Believe" Game Brings Realistic Climax.

Plot of Two Years may Soon be Unfolded.

The land of make-believe, in which the two grown-up prisoners claim to have sought innocent amusement, and the art of let's pretend finance, which brought them real money, according to the police, yesterday reached a realistic climax when Mrs. Edith Hughes, 23, said to be a member of a prominent Los Angeles family, and Steven ("Bob") Robinson, day clerk in a downtown hotel, found themselves in the City Jail on a charge of passing fictitious checks.

In confessions the police say they obtained from the prisoners, the two explain that they wrote the checks just for fun, but Detective Nick Harris of the Nick Harris agency and Detective Sergeant Sidney Hickok, who made the arrests, declare the magic touch that turned scores of check blanks into a stream of gold was a clever scheme of forgeries that may involve several hundred checks amounting to thousands of dollars, and expose another mystery woman and a system that has been baffling the detectives since 1916.

Mrs. Hughes was arrested in her rooms at the Jovita Hotel, No. 726 South Spring street, where Robinson was employed as a day clerk. She was traced to her apartment from a downtown department store, where the detectives recognized her as the distinguished "mystery woman" sought for having passed numerous checks recently.

SEEMINGLY REFINED.

A woman of evident refinement and striking appearance, she had been seen in some of the most exclusive Los Angeles stores. Confronted with the evidence the police hold against her, Mrs. Hughes at first denied knowledge of the checks, but later admitted the plan of Detectives Home that she passed the checks, believing them to be good. After considerable questioning, she broke down completely and told Capt. Home she had received the checks from Robinson.

"But I won't tell you anything about myself or my people," she sobbed. "I'd rather rot in jail the rest of my life than let my mother, father and uncle know I'm in here."

ADMITS WRITING THEM.

Suave, cool and polished, Robinson, who had been employed at Los Angeles hotels for several years, admitted he wrote the checks the police say Mrs. Hughes cashed.

"But I wrote them in fun—just as a part of a make-believe game, and never suspected she would be cashing them," he said from his cell. "Mrs. Hughes was a guest in the house, and every little while I'd write on a check—blank the first names I could think of and give them to her. I never received any of the money," he said.

The three checks of which Mrs. Hughes and Robinson admit knowledge bear the same distinguishing marks that characterized more than 100 fictitious ones now held by Detective Harris. Some of them are typewritten and were made out on the same machine that apparently was used in filling out one of the checks the police say the prisoners admit.

ANOTHER WOMAN?

That Mrs. Hughes may be shielding another woman is the belief of the detectives. A woman described as a beauty of the Titian type has been operating here since 1916 and passing checks that have the same distinctive features about them as those charged to the two prisoners, the detectives say. Further arrests may be made within twenty-four hours, the police expect.

"Please don't let my mother find this out," Mrs. Hughes pleaded with the police. "She thinks I came to Los Angeles to become a Red Cross nurse and train for work in France. I did not mean anything wrong in passing these checks. It was just a sort of a make-believe game that kept on bringing money."

The young woman has been living at the Jovita about two weeks, the officers learned. A life of gay parties and entertainments is believed to have been behind the alleged check career of the young woman, who is said to be related to a well-known oil man of Southern California.

GRAVE CHARGES.

Sergeant of Half Century Home Guards Attacks Association Itself.

Serious charges were made against the Half Century Association last night in a statement issued by J. J. Flannigan, who signs himself as first sergeant of the Half Century Home Guards.

Mr. Flannigan alleges that, of the fund of $4000 secured from a benefit entertainment given at Shrine Auditorium recently to buy uniforms for the Home Guard, only $200 was applied to the purpose for which the benefit was advertised.

He continues that several of the men connected with the promotion of the affair purchased army officers' uniforms in which they now go about in public, accepting the salutes of regular soldiers. He adds that Capt. Woodward of the Home Guards has declared that the men wearing the uniforms have no authority to do so.

Sergt. Flannigan declares that, furthermore, two members of the Half Century Association have been soliciting funds for the Home Guard of the organization and applying them to other purposes.

TAKES CHLOROFORM.

Disappointed in a love affair, according to the police, Eva Hewey, 29 years old, of No. 2331 Wall street, was taken to the Receiving Hospital last night for emergency treatment by Police Surgeon Dieterle. She had swallowed a considerable amount of chlorofrm. She is in a serious condition.

WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

Friday Morning Club.

The celebration of the Friday Morning Club's twenty-seventh birthday yesterday was one of those occasions which make even the most flippant among us a little thoughtful, a little sentimental. For on the platform were thirty-six charter members, a coterie of women, many of them gallantly, gracefully laden with years, of whom all womanhood may well be proud. So many of those thirty-six women have made of age a sweet and desirable thing, years and experience have but softened their faces, broadened their vision, mellowed their hearts. The crowded club auditorium rose as one woman to do them honor as they entered, led by Mrs. J. A. Osgood, whose birthday was also being marked, president emeritus of the club, clad with charm, bright of eye, dignified of bearing, serene of soul. Even Miss E. B. Fremont, 76 years old, was there, a rare attendant these days, and little Mrs. L. A. Groff, so daintily attired, with a cap comprised of tiny black and white flowers. And Mrs. F. A. Eastman who loves to tell she was "the first vice of the club." And Miss Caroline Seymour, neice of the beloved founder, Madame Severance.

But not all of these charter members have left youth behind. As the speaker of the day, Prof. Munro, gallantly remarked, some of them must assuredly have made their original appearance at the club with their nurses. Mrs. Shelley Tolhurst, for instance, who made such a gay speech at the luncheon, declaring the occasion a scientific exhibit for the newer members since they could "study living specimens of the remote geological period." Mrs. A. S. Lobingier, introducing them, had said they were the tap root of the tree which kept it alive. Mrs. Tolhurst wickedly misconstrued this. Talking on the delicate question of age, she said there was a sort of a make-believe game that kept on bringing money."

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Instead of a birthday cake, masses of old-fashioned bouquets were provided for every charter member. Mrs. Josiah Cowles, Mrs. Cornelius Cole and Mrs. Osgood were among those who made brief, heartening talks, replete with the courage of "looking forward."

The speaker of the morning was William Bennett Munro, Ph. D. of Harvard, who talked on the importance of public understanding and sympathetic enthusiasm for the principles of the war as a backing for the man who is doing the fighting. He told how this war has united the whole country as former wars did not, spoke of the heroic examples of France, and incidentally mentioned that the oft-heralded "coming" social revolution had already taken place. He drew an interesting distinction between political and economic democracy, the latter being that in which the United States leads the world.

Madame president, in a foreword, had mentioned her satisfaction regarding two speakers she had selected from their pictures—Mme. Puget and Mme. Bem, both of whom had justified her insight. Prof Munro therefore raised a laugh by declaring that he had been chosen on his picture, too. He certainly did not look like a pedagogic university professor, but would pass excellently for a keen real estate hustler.

Madame president announced a total of $45,000 Liberty Bonds taken by club members, and this from but 125 of them, 7 per cent. of the membership. This small percentage is explained, however, by the fact, that so many Friday members belong to other clubs and bought through other channels.

There are only two offices in the coming election that will be competitive—that of second vice-president, for which both Mrs. Berthold Baruch and Mrs. Emma Reed have been nominated, and that of treasurer for which Mrs. Joseph Sartori and Mrs. Frank Caldwell are named.

Youthful God-parents.

The Junior Register of the Wade Hampton Chapter of the U.D.C., thirty-two in number, have adopted a little French orphan girl, Julienne Galineau, 6 years old. Here are the names of Julienne's god-parents:

Bruce and Betsy Summerfield, Ramona and Juanita Stancliff, Edna Wilhite, Dorothy and Barbara Cruickshank, Henry, Hugh and Marshall Johnson, Albert and Robert Polhamus, Elizabeth, Francis and Dorothy Riley, Julian, James, Thelma, Virginia, and Roy Fish, Rodger Bolton, Julius Wolf, Donald Richey, Edward Giffen, Dorothy Walker, Humphrey Marshall, Doris Wimberly, Hila Blakeley, Mary Gray, George Eagan, Lewis Briggs and Elizabeth Dundas.

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THE SONG.
Let it be the sweet buy and buy for the third Liberty Loan.

HAVE YOU HEARD IT?
Gov. Stephens announces that he will be an aspirant for the nomination. Will, this is awful sudden.

HE IS.
The new chairman of the Republican National Committee is referred to as "the sunny Mr. Hays." Even the Democrats insist that he is a warm proposition.

A GOOD WAY.
A shake-up is reported in the British War Cabinet. Over there they don't hesitate to give the hook to the official who is too small or too inept for the job. Comparisons are odious.

FIGHT FIRST.
There has never yet been a league of nations formed by talking. It can only come by fighting. Therefore, let the people of this republic talk war and think war, not peace. Civilization must win over militarism.

FIXING IT.
The best way to fix, amend, alter, repair and straighten out the latest Los Angeles blue law is to strangle it. After we go to war for our liberties shall the Los Angeles City Council take them away from us? Good God, what next?

THE SOFT ANSWER.
Government administration of railroads is not satisfactory in some localities. In Alabama a passenger who complained of frequent and long-continued stoppages was told by the conductor that if he was not satisfied he had better get out and walk. "I would," was the reply, "but my folks are not expecting me so soon."

WILL ADONIS ESCAPE?
Officials of the Los Angeles Railway are contemplating the employment of women as conductresses and motormenesses, one young beauty having already been given a tryout and having "acquitted herself with credit." Will the handsome young man now hope to escape paying for his ride when he answers the summons, "Fare, please!" by the gallant rejoinder, "You bet you are?"—

A NEW SPORT.
The kiddies of Garvanza have discovered a new sport. It is sledding. An ingenious lad of 15 started it when he constructed a crude sled on which he hauled his baby brother around the streets while his mother was out selling Liberty Bonds. Now every afternoon, just at dusk, scores of happy children may be seen on the green hillsides pulling one another down the slick, grassy slopes on funny little sleds of their own making. And the beauty of it is that they can stay out until the moon rises and never suffer from cold feet or get dumped into a bank of cold snow.

GERMANY KNOWS.
Business interests in Germany are not dazzled by the paper victories of the Junkers. They know that there is a day of reckoning, and some of them are already "casting an anchor to windward." Dispatches from Switzerland reveal that German agents have been in the neutral countries gathering up all available paper currency of the United States. In some of the neutral countries American paper was selling as low as 80 cents on the dollar. While the German press has been boasting that American bonds would be worthless and American paper currency without value after the war, the financiers have been quietly hoarding all the American paper they can secure. A dispatch from Geneva to the New York Times relates that American paper has advanced from 80 to 95 within the last three weeks by reason of the German demand. An occasional flash of lightning illuminates the gloom that hangs about Germany, revealing the real Germany which the Junkers seek to keep masked from the Allied nations.

MOBILIZED FOR WAR.
The Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce has promptly responded to the administration's request, through the United States Chamber of Commerce, that all chambers mobilize for war. The local chamber is on a war footing. This is strongly exemplified by the manner in which the chamber has assumed the direction of the undertaking to send a great cargo of sorely-needed supplies, by the first steel ship built in Los Angeles, to France, a war measure of great importance. Under the able and forceful leadership of Arthur Letts a committee of thirty Chamber of Commerce members appointed by President Mueller has attacked the big job with such vigor and thoroughness that a magnificent success is assured. Busy business men though they are, the committeemen have unhesitatingly shouldered the work and undertaken to carry it through. At its first meeting Thursday the committee arranged for every detail of the preliminary phases of the campaign and will meet again Monday to take what further steps are necessary. The committee, acting as a war-measure body, demands work, action and results.

THE HUMAN SKUNK.
Ever since a state of war was declared to be existent between this country and Germany The Times has been unsparing in its warfare against pro-Germans and pro-Germanism. This newspaper has repeatedly scored the German spy, the I.W.W., the striker, the Socialist, the military and financial slacker and every other brand of traitor that dares to lift his hand against the government or to passively assist in giving aid and comfort to the enemy or in interfering with the plans of the United States to bring the terrible conflict to a speedy termination. Time and again we have, in all friendliness, warned those citizens whose blood ties and early associations connect them with Germany or Germanism that the thoughtless voicing of sympathy with the Prussian cause is certain to place them in a dangerous position. Zealous, though thoughtless, American citizens have also been plainly told by The Times that their efforts in behalf of America are likely to breed trouble for themselves and friends if they allow their patriotism to mislead their judgment and warp their sense of justice.

The Times has nothing to retract; it has meant every word that has been written—BUT there is one type of citizen that is as deserving of censure as any of the aforementioned, and that is the type that, out of personal grudge or for political reasons or prejudice or petty jealousy or for business advantage, makes it his business to circulate false reports as to the alleged disloyalty of persons whose fidelity and patriotism are above the reproach of calumny. These penny politicians, these patriots for profit, these vengeful vermin, these self-seeking satellites, in order to vent their spleen or settle a personal grudge or rob a business competitor of legitimate trade, do not hesitate to resort to the most damnable method ever devised by the Kaiser of hell for the purpose of tarnishing the good name of honor and blackening the white robe of virtue. As a rule, like the sneaking cowards that they are, these scaly creatures work in the dark. When they desire to "get" somebody they do not report him to the proper authorities for an investigation of the alleged traitor's words or acts. Instead, they go whispering around among their friends that somebody else heard someone say that Mr. So-and-so had flatly refused to buy a Liberty Bond, or that John Doe had declared America had no business to ever enter the war etc., etc., etc. "Rumor doubles like the voice and echo," and before the victim has even been apprised of the fact that he has been accused of disloyalty or seditious speech he is visited by a vigilance committee and made to apologize for something he never said on pain of death or social ostracism.

These smutty-mouthed scandal mongers are probably the descendants of those dastardly cowards of the French revolution who realized that the quickest and surest way of ridding themselves of a personal enemy was to whisper that the latter was a friend of royalty and a foe of the revolution. In the days of the Reign of Terror when "The law of suspects" was in full swing, all that was necessary to bring a citizen to the guillotine was to denounce him as a foe of liberty. But let it be remembered that even Robespierre who, as a member of the misnamed "Committee of Public Safety," was the the most fanatical and intolerant of men came at last to his own deserved fate at the hands of those base informants who placed him in power and whose underhanded methods were responsible for the execution of so many grea and good citizens of France. These modern Robespierres, without either the courage, strength or nobility of that notorious fanatic and his advisers, are too cowardly and too unutterably mean to operate or even to agitate in the open, but, like the Russian nihilists (who, by the way, work from better motives) they dig underground trenches in order to destroy those against whom they hold personal, political or business grievances.

Let them beware! Sooner or later, like Robespierre, they will be detected in their villainy and the very means they are now employing to encompass the destruction of their innocent fellow-men will be used against them, and in fullest measure they will reap exactly what they have sown. "All the world conspires against the spy," but all the laws of the universe co-operate to bring to a shameful end the low-lived calumniator who bears false witness against his neighbor. Of all the detestable tricks in the annals of selfishness there is none to compare with this of blackening the good reputation of one's fellow-beings. The man or woman who is guilty of such conduct is a black wolf among a flock of white sheep and deserves, at the hands of loyal, upright citizens, the same fate which the faithful shepherd deals out to the destroyer of his fold.

THE FOLLY OF STRIKES.
The illogical not to say the utterly irreconcilable feature of union labor and of I.W.W. organizations, is that the members of one labor organization are interested in opposing rather than helping the members of other labor organizations.

A butcher's union demands for its members an increase of wages, and, the demand being refused, orders a strike. The only way in which the demand can be complied with is by an advance in the price of mutton chops. If the carpenters and machinists join in a sympathetic strike to aid the butchers, and the strike is successful, the carpenters and machinists pay more for their meat. If the garment makers strike to obtain higher wages, and the shoemakers join them, and they are reinforced by the coal miners, the net result will be that the garment makers will pay more for shoes and for fuel; the shoemakers will pay more for breeches and coal, and the coal miners will pay more for garters and shirts. There is no truer axiom than that the consumer must pay the bills. Would a union of toiling janitors who should strike in order to advance the price of cleaning cuspidors be helped by a combination with a union of toiling bakers who should strike to advance the price of bread?

The syndicalism preached and practiced today by union labor and I.W.W. organizations differs from that of former ages in that it proposes to obliterate the state. Its anarchic doctrines never have appealed to a sufficient number of people in any country in any age to secure their permanent establishment

SCHWAB MEANS SHIPS.
Business sense won a notable victory over patronage when Charles M. Schwab, America's steel king, was virtually commandeered by President Wilson to serve as director general of the Emergency Fleet Corporation. It is announced from the White House that Mr. Schwab will assume entire direction of the government's shipbuilding programme. Mr. Schwab has been invested with an authority as supreme as he exercised in his private business, and the President has established a precedent for putting the biggest men in the country in charge of important government work; men who won their spurs before wearing them. Mr. Schwab has never served with the President on the faculty of any educational institution; he never sat in a political convention; it is even doubtful whether he ever cast a ballot for Mr. Wilson, but he has been at the head of the biggest shipbuilding company in the Western Hemisphere, and he is one of the ablest generals of industry America has produced.

When we stop to consider this appointment in all its phases we are permitted to hope that the era of putting round pegs in square holes has passed. President Wilson has evidently been learning some lessons in practical administration; he has discovered that college professors are not always marked successes at the head of great enterprises requiring exact technical knowledge. The President is beginning to measure up to the executive requirements of his job. As an expounder of the tenets of democracy President Wilson is easily the first living American; but his experiments in selecting men to solve the great practical problems of the war have not been uniformly successful. The greed of deserving Democrats to share in the distribution of the loaves and fishes has sometimes been too strong for the President to resist. But his action in personally selecting Mr. Schwab may be taken to mean that political exigencies must occupy second consideration until the victory for democracy is finally won.

Government operation of great private industries, both in this country and Great Britain, has not achieved the results that had been hoped for. Probably the greatest problem of the war is that of supplying sufficient ships to carry provisions to the Allied countries and to insure a safe and rapid passage of 3,000,000 troops and their supplies from this country to France. Great Britain took charge of the big private shipyards in the British Isles more than a year ago. In place of increasing the output of the shipyards British government operation led to a steadily-decreasing tonnage until the output for February was a scant 100,000 tons in place of the 250,000 tons which the country had reckoned upon. There has been a thorough overhauling of the organization of the British Shipping Board; practical men have been placed in responsible positions, and there are prospects that the output of February will be doubled in May.

During the last year our government's experience in ship production has not been a happy one. Despite the fact that there was an increase in material and in the number of workmen, the actual output of the shipyards steadily declined. While the men at the top unquestionably meant well, fulfillment fell far short of their own expectations. But to their credit it must be said that they were the first to offer to give to Mr. Schwab a free hand. If Congress will now support the shipbuilding programme by legislation penalizing strikes on government works during the war period the decks will be cleared for action on a tremendous scale.

If the President would extend his policy towards shipbuilding to aviation, operation of the railroads and the fuel administration the wheels of industry would whir with a speed that would spell triumph for democracy and curtains for the Houses of Hapsburg and Hohenzollern.

THE BATTLE—BETTER NEWS.
Fighting desperately, but lashing about like a wounded snake lacerating its own flesh, the German war machine in France finds itself in the most critical position since the opening of the war. British and French forces are united along the whole of the western front; the confusion of the early days of the big drive has disappeared; reserves have replaced the tired British troops that fought so heroically from St. Quentin back to the slopes of Mt Kemmel; the divisions are supplied anew with artillery and the air squadrons have driven the German bats to cover. The first phase of the great battle which recorded a long series of German advances is definitely ended. Over the greater portion of the western front the Hun is now fighting on the defensive. Throughout the whole of the battle the Germans have not lessened the distance between their advanced line and their two great objectives, Paris and Calais. The advances which they have made have simply rectified a great bulge inward on their western front, the result of British hammering during the summers of 1916 and 1917.

As the Allied line now stands it occupies, with a few minor variations, a series of strategical positions which constitute what is known as the French second line of defense. It is a line planned and fortified before the war, consisting of a natural barrier stretching from the slopes of Mt. Kemmel in Flanders along the southern banks of the Oise River, past Verdun and through the foothills of the Vosges Mountains to the Swiss border. The Germans have driven two salients into this line, one at Montdidier and the other at Bailleul. The positions in those sectors are awkward for the Allies, but they are equally awkward for the enemy, as they can be attacked from three sides at one time. The salients offer an opportunity for a converging attack that operates like a pair of giant shears, the form of attack which the Germans themselves used with marked success in their Russian campaigns. If Von Hindenburg follows the advice of his board of strategy he will withdraw from these salients before the counter attacks are launched. But to give them up will be to confess to the home populations that the great drive which has put almost half of Germany into mourning proved a colossal blunder.

This time it is not France but Prussia that has been bled white. If Von Hindenburg is not able to show some definite advantage from this prodigious offensive the war party in Prussia will find itself in a condition similar to that of Napoleon at the conclusion of the Russian campaign. While the German General Staff has displayed a diabolical fertility of resource, it has not been able to develop the punch necessary to secure a decisive victory. The advantages of Gen. Foch's plan of a mobile defense are now making themselves apparent. His line is not a ledge of rocks, but a titanic Damascus blade which bends without weakening or breaking. This defense is the most difficult to conduct known to strategy, but in the hands of a master tactician it becomes invincible.

An offensive effectively checked always redounds to the advantage of the defender. The Kaiser was quoted in a German paper at the end of the first week of the big drive as saying that he was willing to lose 300,000 men, if necessary, to prove to the world that Prussia could lick England in a stand-up fight. He has lost the 300,000 men; but he is farther from victory than the day before the great offensive started.

REAL LIFE.
At a recent function given at the San Jose High School a sweet young lady said to a gentleman who was clothed in a navy uniform: "How I do envy you seafaring men. It must be wonderful and inspiring to gaze on the broad expanse of the ocean and breathe the fresh, clean salt air." The sailor lad, who was a stoker on a government steamer, replied tersely: "Yes, it must be."

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A corpulent lady of this city who tipped the scales at 250 pounds accosted a United States Jackie, with whom she was acquainted, and asked: "Say, didn't you see me the other day when I was across the street?" The Jackie replied: "Sure, Mrs. M., I saw you coming down the street for two blocks."—[San Jose Herald.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

GARDEN PERILS.

I've spaded up my acre lot to
make a wartime garden; 'twill be the
smoothest little plot you ever saw a
bard in. I've sown the kind of bone-
less greens that used to please our
daddies, and I have beds of peas and
beans and leeks and finnan haddies.
And neighbors come along and say,
"In vain is all your toiling! For
vagrant hens will come this way,
your treasured garden spoiling. And
dogs will come, and once or twice
they'll wallow in your lettuce; then
you'll recall our sage advice, ah,
then you won't forget us! And when
the moonlight, white, intense, the
world in silver washes, a cow will
climb your garden fence and eat
your Hubbard squashes. Some night
a horse, from halter free, perhaps a
gray with dapples, will come and
climb up yonder tree and swallow
all your apples. And hogs will come
from distant pens, long leagues
they'll come, a-kiting, to eat the
onions that the hens passed up as
uninviting. Oh, we have raised such
garden sass to feed such vagrant
varmints, and we have wept and
cried 'Alas!' and torn our beards and
garments." It's such encouragement
as this I get when I am hoeing, and
it destroys the peaceful bliss I felt
to see things growing.

WALT MASON.

PASADENA LORE.

Admirable Work by a Loving Pasadenan.

"PASADENA, HISTORY AND PERSONAL." By J. W. Wood.

In these days when the public taste is almost sated with volume upon volume devoted to narrating destructive war operations abroad it is comfortable and refreshing to take up a book concerned entirely with the peaceful development of a city at home. So in compiling a complete history of Pasadena Mr. J. W. Wood supplies a wholesome antidote to the abundant literature on Belgium and Northern France. For a while, at least, the reader can dwell on the reverse side of the picture—can reassure himself that the creations of peace are infinitely greater than the works of war.

Mr. Wood's history is a careful and accurate labor of love. At the start he scores one point that too many authors miss. His title succinctly describes the contents of his book. From the first to the last page he has stuck strictly to his text, the result being that the whole work is filled with the spirit and atmosphere of Pasadena.

From the first authentic records in the year 1826, when Pasadena was but a cattle ranch of rolling hills and dales owned by Donna Eulalia de Guillen under an old Spanish grant to the present day when it has become a collection of handsome artistic homes owned by the most progressive citizens under the Stars and Stripes—through its checkered career, first a halting place for religious pilgrims traveling the Camino Real from mission to mission, now the Mecca of tourists and pleasure-seekers from the four corners of the earth—Mr. Wood with infinite pains has covered every event and faithfully set down the minutest details pertinent to the subject with which he is dealing. He demonstrates convincingly how the original Indiana colony did more for Pasadena than Augustus Caesar did for Rome, who boasted that "he found it in brick and left it in marble."

Pasadena is a subject so full of the picturesque and the romantic that perhaps one should not be critical if even in so practical a work as Mr. Wood has given us he sometimes allows his descriptive pen to overstep the speed limits. After reading such sentences as these—"Its beautiful green blinds, no longer jealous of flashing eyes within, hung in desolate dejection"—"The prow of the plow (sic) had never yet cloven its surface nor had the foot of man"—"A hint of far distant isles in tropic seas where dusky-eyed houris chant amorously from leafy ambuscade"—"Dappling fields of wild oats" and "dimpling wheat fields"—one is tempted to repeat old Tony's comment on Sam Weller's love letter, "Samivel, my son, doesn't that werge on the poetical?" But then Pasadena, like love letters, can stand a certain amount of such heroic treatment.

And in the main Mr. Wood has written just a personal family history of the Crown City, its pioneers, its famous citizens, its leading events, its prominent social and political celebrities. He has scattered throughout the recital those little intimate humorous incidents and comical anecdotes of his characters and their doings that in any record of passing events always serve to fix them on the memory of the reader.

So that to the loyal Pasadenan this book is the complete record of his home city—the more enthusiastic dwellers in this city beautiful may even find a place for it on the parlor table next to the family Bible. It will also be a help to the newcomer anxious to get some forehand information about a locality where he possibly hopes to find a permanent home. And of course beyond this the volume is a valuable addition to the general historical records of the State of California. For the author has presented a mass of carefully-dated and authenticated detail that represents years of laborious research and discriminative editing.

Many books have been written on California. There is no excuse for any misapprehensions as to the resources or possibilities of the Golden State if one-third of the matter printed on the subject receives anything like the attention it deserves. To those who wish for Pasadena featured and headlined as California's chief attraction we recommend its life story as told by Mr. J. W. Wood.

HARRY BOWLING.

REMARKABLE REMARKS.

[Compiled by the Independent.]

JOHN GALSWORTHY: We mistake "life" for living.

EDNA FERBER: Writers are not supposed to talk about themselves.

PRESIDENT CHANG: I cannot make others believe in my spirit.

W. R. HEARST: Eventually the world will come to total abstinence.

ED HOWE: I know of many useful men who are hampered by matrimony.

RUDYARD KIPLING: There is no half-way house between victory and defeat.

BERNARD SHAW: If you only knew all the things I think and dare not say.

SIR WILLIAM CROOKES: Starvation can only be averted through the laboratory.

LORD NORTHCLIFFE: Sympathy toward Russia is the right policy for the Allies.

GERALD STANLEY LEE: If Germany will not remove her appendix herself we will.

REV. T. W. M'ELVEEN: Too many of us have ambitions, too few of us aspirations.

PRIMA DONNA GALLI-CURCI: I have so little interest in clothes. Singing is everything to me.

W. J. BRYAN: The Lord gave me ears that stuck out a good deal more than artistic standards require.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT: Remember that what the Germans respect is the way we shoot—not the way we shout.

LEON TROTZKY: If we were really logical we would declare war on England now, for the sake of India, Egypt and Ireland.

AL WOODS: I would rather talk to George Cohan for ten minutes than to any other person in the world for three hours.

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Now is the time to make your trout stories.

What are you doing with Hooverized daylight?

Why not revive the old slogan, "Make treason odious"?

Let there be no Anvil Chorus in the community singing practice.

That extra hour of daylight do much good if we do not

What has become of the young men who used to crowd the women barber shops?

The British forces have killed or captured the entire Irish force in the Hit area. lar three-baser, we should

To the American dead is of the lilies all honor and memory. They have fought good fight; they have kept

The parcel post regulations not be perfect until it is to send a custard pie is one of the demands of

Francis J. Heney is now 61st year—old enough to ter than to dream that he fea Thomas Lee Woolwine nomination.

Another thing about the cry to raise castor beans plant 'em this year they with bells on next spring any planting.

There are a lot of folks on the new rules for the sugar whose grandfather would get molasses on his hoe often that was sorghum.

And so the hobble skirt back. This time to stay and every loyal man will other way when such a coming down the thoroughfare.

We knew a man once interest of economy, only a dime on his he has often been known on a pair of sixes in a

The way to tell if a come from Vernon, announce Pakov, the asian town that has by the Germans. test.

Folks are worrying der of Dr. Garfield their next winter's now. They ought to California where the not felt.

It is no disgrace if last summer's suit, if the inside of your vest showing that you much a week on a scription.

The present movement abroad is the heaviest tory of the great war. of censorship is over hearts of Americans by the glorious news.

Over in France the death for a person man money for propaganda Congress ought to We are entirely with this class of

Just because a beard is no sign that the Bolsheviki, but that he is under the old-fashioned real manhood was a

Old Dock Osler of his life when he who had reached the ought to be chloroformed men are coming back more dress suits over 50 than ever too busy to note that in the face of Osleria

It is reported that fitting out raiders in It is on a small scale the Alabama offense Britain paid the United 500,000 by virtue of award. It is possible work continues this wait until after the ranza to an accounting.

It is proposed to laws so that legacies for public purposes of religious, charitable tional institutions of taxation under the of 1916 and 1917. were allowed in all revenue measures by ment; and they are in policy adopted by all the Union which have tax laws excepting are in accord with good public policy.

THE PLEA OF OLD

You call me Old Glory in story,
You call me the banner
How oft have you said
ship each fold
As it floats in the
Would you leave me
thing and pray
Of a despot far over
Or will you enroll with
and your soul
For the banner that
free?

What dross is your
shrink and wither
Your treasure is
The wealth you
rants defy me
Is pitiful profit
You've waved me
hailed me with
When war was
me—
BUT
What part have you
Liberty Loan?
How much will you
me?

SATURDAY MOR
Their Side.
SMALL GROCER ENTER PROTE
Say City License Fee W Kill Their Business.
Meat Dealers are Willi Pay a Dime a Day.
Bakers and Commission do not Appear.
Representatives of the who and retail grocers vigorously tested to the Finance Committ the Council yesterday against proposed licensing of their bus The grocers emphatically as that the volume of trade done does not warrant the Council i passing additional tax burdens them, and that some of the sm grocers would be compelled to their stores if the fee is demand The proposed revised license nance fixes the fee to be paid tail grocers at $40 per year, able quarterly. While the ame does not appear exorbitant, it stated that some of the retailers running behind and the licens would only tend to put them o business.
"I know of a retailer who compelled to discharge two o clerks and to convert Liberty into cash to keep his head
Opening Cine-Clu New S
Spring, at 4 GROUND FLOOR HW.HELLMAN BUILDING
YOUNG'S
U. S. FO
$15,0 3rd Lib employ
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May Be Advertised Now Food Ad
WE OFFER PRICED
HAMS, whole or half, per
BACON, by the side or ha
SMOKED BUTTS, lb.
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BOILING BEEF, lb.
APPLES, Fancy Pearmain
Order a Bunch of Our Fa Like It in Town
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PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Now is the time to scale d... your trout stories.

What are you doing with ... Hooverized daylight?

Why not revive the old-fa... slogan, "Make treason odious"?

Let there be no Anvil Chor... the community singing program.

That extra hour of daylight ... do much good if we do not ...

What has become of the ... young men who used to crowd the women barber shops?

The British forces have ... killed or captured the entire ... ish force in the Hit area. A ... lar three-baser, we should say.

To the American dead in the ... of the lillies all honor and ... memory. They have fought ... good fight; they have kept the ... test, the re... work is ... atmosphere

The parcel post regulations ... not be perfect until it is ... to send a custard pie by ma... is one of the demands of the ...

Francis J. Heney is now ... 61st year—old enough to know ... ter than to dream that he ... fea Thomas Lee Woolwine for ... nomination.

Another thing about the ... cry to raise castor beans: ... plant 'em this year they will ... with bells on next spring ... any planting.

There are a lot of folks ... on the new rules for the sale ... gar whose grandfather was ... get molasses on his bread ... often that was sorghum.

And so the bobble skirt is ... back. This time to conserve ... and every loyal man will ... other way when such a skirt ... coming down the thoroughfare.

We knew a man once who, ... interest of economy, would ... only a dime on his daily lunch ... he has often been known to ... on a pair of sixes in a poker ...

The way to tell if a friend has ... come from Vernon, get him to ... nounce Pekov, the name of a ... sian town that has been ... by the Germans. That is the ... test.

Folks are worrying about the ... der of Dr. Garfield that they ... their next winter's supply of ... now. They ought to live in ... California where the need of ... not felt.

It is no disgrace if you wear ... last summer's suit, if you ... the inside of your vest a ... showing that you are ... much a week on a Liberty ... scription.

The present movement ... abroad is the heaviest ... tory of the great war. The ... of censorship is over it all, ... hearts of Americans will be ... by the glorious news.

Over in France the ... death for a person who takes ... man money for propaganda ... Congress ought to enact such ... We are entirely too mealy-... with this class of vermin.

Just because a man wears ... beard is no sign that he is ... the Bolshevikl, but we must ... that he is under suspicion. ... the old-fashioned days the ... real manhood was a set of ... tains.

Old Dock Osler made the ... of his life when he said that ... who had reached the age of ... ought to be chloroformed. ... men are coming back, and ... more dress suits ordered ... over 50 than ever before. ... too busy to note that they are ... in the face of Oslerism.

It is reported that German ... fitting out raiders in Mexico. ... It is on a small scale a repeti... the Alabama offense for which ... Britain paid the United States ... 500,000 by virtue of the ... award. It is possible that the ... work continues this country ... wait until after the war to ... ranza to an accounting.

It is proposed to amend the ... laws so that legacies and be... for public purposes and for ... of religious, charitable and ... tional institutions shall be ... of taxation under the revenue ... of 1916 and 1917. These ex... were allowed in all previous ... revenue measures by the ... ment; and they are in line ... policy adopted by all the ... the Union which have ... tax laws excepting nine, and ... are in accord with sound ... good public policy.

THE PLEA OF OLD GLORY

You call me Old Glory in ... story,
You call me the banner you ...
How oft have you told that ... ship each fold
As it floats in the heaven ...
Would you leave me today, ... thing and prey
Of a despot far over the ...
Or will you enroll with your ... and your soul
For the banner that floats ... free?

What dross is your gold ... shrink and withhold
Your treasure in time of ...
The wealth you deny me ... rants defy me
Is pitiful profit indeed!
You've waved me for years, ... hailed me with cheers
When war was not here to ... me—
BUT
What part have you shown ... Liberty Loan?
How much will you give to ... me?

FRED EAT...

Their Side.

SMALL GROCERS ENTER PROTEST.

City License Fee Would Kill Their Business.

Dealers are Willing to Pay a Dime a Day.

Bakers and Commission Men do not Appear.

Representatives of the wholesale and retail grocers vigorously protested to the Finance Committee of the Council yesterday against the proposed licensing of their business. The grocers emphatically asserted that the volume of trade done now does not warrant the Council in imposing additional tax burdens on them, and that some of the smaller stores would be compelled to close their stores if the fee is demanded.

The proposed revised license ordinance fixes the fee to be paid by retail grocers at $40 per year, payable quarterly. While the amount does not appear exorbitant, it was stated that some of the retailers are operating behind and the license fee would only tend to put them out of business.

"I know of a retailer who was compelled to discharge two of his clerks and to convert Liberty Bonds into cash to keep his head above water," said the representative of that organization.

M. H. Newmark represented the wholesalers. He did not object much to the proposed fee for the men in his business, but appealed to the Council to protect the retailer.

The retail meat dealers said they do not object to a small license fee, and would be willing to pay $36 per year, or about 10 cents per day.

It was expected that representatives of the bakers, canners and commission merchants would appear before the committee, but they failed to do so. Whether they are satisfied with the proposed licenses or merely neglected to go before the committee was not announced.

RETURNS INDICTMENTS.

Federal Grand Jury Holds Several to Answer for Violations of Laws.

An indictment returned last evening against Ricardo Flores Magon and Liberado Rivera, by the Federal grand jury, under the Espionage Act, consisted of eighteen pages of legal cap, covering ten counts and three distinct violations of the Espionage Act.

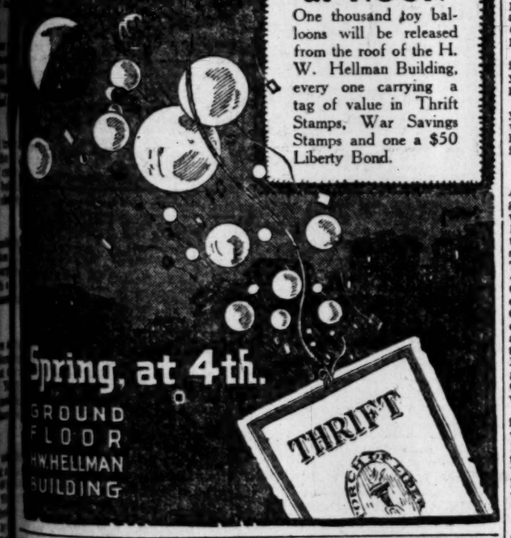
Other indictments were as follows: Joe Shelly and Rose Wilkins, violation of the Mann act; Quantrell Price Wilson, violation of the Mann act; J. E. Sonenberg, violation of the Espionage Act in peddling and selling copies of "The Finished Mystery;" Isaac Peters and M. Bourquez, violation of the Harrison anti-narcotic law; Samuel W. Thomas, in charge of Station 18, of the local postoffice, embezzlement; and E. R. Spade, receiving goods knowing them to have been stolen from Camp Kearny.

Opening One-Time Dos New Store

Branch of Store No. 1, 214 W. 3rd St.

TODAY at NOON

One thousand toy balloons will be released from the roof of the H. W. Hellman Building, every one carrying a tag of value in Thrift Stamps, War Savings Stamps and one a $50 Liberty Bond.



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U. S. FOOD ADM. LICENSE NO. G14534

$15,000 in BONDS
3rd Liberty Loan taken by our employes on April 17 thru us

Smoked Meats

May Be Advertised Now by Authority of the Federal Food Administration.

WE OFFER CHOICE SELECTION. PRICED CLOSE TO COST.

HAMS, whole or half, per lb 32c
BACON, by the side or half, lb 40c
SMOKED BUTTS, lb 32c
PICNIC HAMS, lb 23c

PORK ROASTS Shoulders or Fresh Picnic Hams 24c

LAMB ROASTS Shoulders—Our Regular Stock 25c

BOILING BEEF, lb 16c
APPLES, Fancy Pearmain 5c

Order a Bunch of Our Fancy Jumbo Celery—Nothing Like It in Town. Free Delivery.

638 Broadway. 427 Gladys. 212-216 S. Spring
325 W. FIFTH—MEATS, ETC., ONLY.

Smoked Meat Sale April 20 to 27

Buy Your Liberty Bond With the Money You Save at Palace Markets

Many fine bargains today at Palace Markets—with many special values Friday and Saturday.

PRIME RIBS BEEF ROLLED, per lb. 25c
BOILING BEEF, per lb. 14c
HAMBURG AND BEEF STEW 18c

PALACE MARKETS

MAIN—Central Bldg., Opp. Pac. Elec. Station—114 WEST SIXTH

In Harness.

NEAR SEVENTY, OFF TO FRANCE.

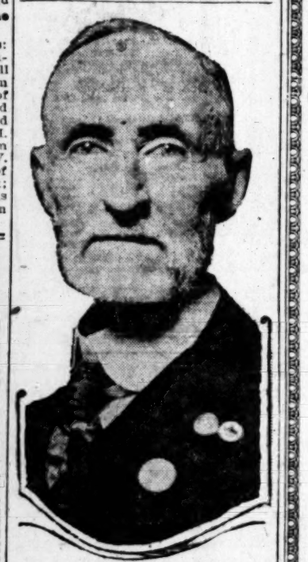
Dr. A. W. Clark Dons Red Cross Uniform.

Will do Work Among Refugee Children Abroad.

One's Never Too Old to do His Best, He Says.

Dr. A. W. Clark, 66 years old, today dons the uniform of a commissioned officer of the American Red Cross, and leaves Los Angeles for France, to work among the refugee children of France and Belgium.

"My two sons are in the army," said Dr. Clark yesterday. "I wanted



Dr. A. W. Clark.

to do my part. I applied. The officials at first said: 'You are an experienced worker among children, but you are too old.'

"'One is never too old to do his best,' I told them. 'Try me.' They put me through all the physical tests a soldier must go through, and the doctors were astonished to report perfect on every line of examination.

"For many years I have been taking exercise morning and night, and you can see how it enables me to pass the army tests at my age."

Dr. Clark lives at No. 2014 Canyon drive, Hollywood, where his wife and daughter will remain while he and his sons are doing their part in the war.

CAREER IN NEBRASKA.

Dr. Clark moved his family to Los Angeles five years ago after a distinguished career in Nebraska as a worker among homeless children. He founded the Child Saving Institute in Omaha, of which he is still superintendent on leave of absence. This institution has placed over 4000 children in good homes. Dr. Clark was also one of the probation officers of the Omaha Juvenile Court, for eight years was secretary of the Nebraska Board of Charities, and organized the Associated Charities of Omaha. During the drought in Nebraska in 1896 and 1897 he organized and conducted shelters in Omaha where hundreds of refugees were cared for.

Dr. Clark was one of those called into consultation by President Roosevelt when he formed the Children's Bureau, of which Julia Lathrop is the head. Dr. Clark went to the White House by invitation and outlined his ideas to President Roosevelt.

THE WORK IN FRANCE.

He was recommended to the Red Cross for his duties in France by Judge Benjamin F. Lindsey of the Denver Juvenile Court, and other leading social workers of the country.

"My work in France for the Red Cross," said Dr. Clark yesterday, "will be that of helping to organize the work of first feeding and housing the homeless children of the devastated parts of France and Belgium, and then restoring them to their parents.

"I have found that the best way to make good citizens of children is to first keep them with their parents, and improve conditions in the home; and, second, to place children in good homes, where their own homes do not exist. Placing children in institutions is not the best way. I am mighty glad that my experience can be utilized by the government in this war for freedom."

Dr. Clark's son, Joy Clark, is in the Aviation Corps, and expects to go to France soon. His eldest son, A. J. Clark, is in the Engineering Corps at Camp Lewis.

WATER CONCERN LOSES SUIT OVER PROPERTY.

SOUGHT TO RESTRAIN TRUST COMPANY FROM SELLING PARCEL OF LAND.

The Valencia Heights Water Company, which owns valuable water rights at Covina, was non-suited in Judge Valentine's court yesterday in an action to restrain the Title Guarantee and Trust Company from selling its property under a trust deed. The permanent injunction asked for was denied and the temporary injunction previously granted, dissolved.

It appeared that Judson C. Rives loaned the company $3950 to pay for machinery in developing water and received a trust deed upon the land to secure the payment of the loan. The company defaulted on the payments and after repeated notices to the company, Mr. Rives instructed the Title Guarantee and Trust Company to proceed to sell the property under the trust deed.

The company contended that the loan had not been authorized by the board of directors, but Judge Finlayson found that the company had failed to act diligently in seeking to rescind the trust deed and that it could not come into a court of equity, after having failed to offer to repay the money loaned.

Best in Dry Goods Since 1878

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

FOUNDED in 1878

Seventh Street at Olive

Oldest Dry Goods Store in Los Angeles

Two-in-One Apron Dress $1.75

Just one of the many pretty and practical frocks which the Sassy Jane factory turns out for porch, outing and "At Home" wear. These garments cleverly get away from the house dress idea, without the least sacrifice of practical wearing qualities. Beginning at $1.75 there are myriads of styles in plaids and imported crepes, for young people or the more sedate older women, up to ..... **$4.00, $4.50, $5.50 and $6.00**

(Muslinwear; Third Floor)

Maximum Coat Values $25

Handsome coats in velours of tan, Pekin or Copen; poplins in Copen, navy and tan, some elegant gabardines and Delhi cloths, and mixtures in gray.

Just now, when desirable materials are not easy to secure, these values are extraordinarily good at the money.

At $25.00—We have also black short satin coats, ultra-fashionable.

At $29.50—Three-quarter length satin coats in black. And long black taffeta coats.

(Garments; Third Floor)

Best Gloves, Special $1.75

Your choice of one-clasp PXM **Cape Gloves,** in white, champagne or tan; (values $2.00 to $2.25;) of overseam 2-clasp **French real Kid Gloves** in light biscuit or white; ($2 gloves;) or of **Perrin's Lamb Gloves,** white, PXM, self-embroidered; a splendid wearing $2.00 glove; all fitted and guaranteed, at **$1.75**

(Gloves; Main Floor)

Girls' White Dresses Much Reduced

Just because a lot of girls' white dresses have become slightly soiled, we shall close them out at prices distinctly pleasing to mothers.

In lawns, voiles and pique, not every sizes in every style, but sizes in the group from 6 to 14 years, special ..... **$3.75, $4.75 and $5.75**

Black Milan Hats—Every child wants them this spring; here in sizes to fit girls up to 14 years old ..... **$4.50 to $9.50**

Navy Serge Reefers—With velvet collars and patch pockets, for small boys of 2 to 6 at **$4.75**

Black-and-white check reefers with velvet collars, 4, 5 and 6-year sizes **$4.75**

Girls' Coats—in black and white, with detachable pique collars; 4, 5 and 6-yr. sizes, **$4.75**

In navy and Copen, sizes 2 to 6 years .. **$4.75**

(Girls' Wear; Third Floor)

Holeproof Hose for Children

Good, durable hose that **will wear!** In medium heavy quality for boys; sizes 7 to 11, black only; and in lighter weight, for girls, in black or white, sizes 6 to 10½.

Price for sizes up to 8½, pair **40c**

For sizes larger than 8½ **50c**

Infant's Holeproof Hose—fine ribbed, in black or white; sizes 4 to 6½ **25c**

(Hosiery; Main Floor)

Special Values

For Saturday only; no telephone or mail orders accepted:

Bedspreads — 80x90; extra heavy crochet spreads; note the size; regular price $3.50, each **$2.75**

Satin Spreads—82x93; extra good quality; regularly $5.00, each **$3.95**

Dimity Spreads — 72x90; for summer use these are unexcelled; they launder and wear well; regularly $2.50, at **$2.25**

(Linens; Second Floor)

Chiffon Broadcloths, yd. $3.55

Cloths now marked by us to sell at $4.50, and goods that at today's prices would be $6 a yard—in navy, wine, mulberry, African, maroon, plum, olive and hunters; 54 inches wide.

Silk and Wool Poplin—40 inches wide; in black, ivory and all colors; reg. $2.00, yard **$1.75**

Cream Wool Serge — 48 inches wide; $2.50 value, yard **$2.25**

(Dress Goods; Second Floor)

15c — **For Saturday only; all linen or Shamrock handkerchiefs; embroidered; regularly 25c each.**

35c — **Sample lines at 35c each; three for $1.00; and at 75c and 50c each.**

Toilet Paper, Dozen Roll or flat shape; the regular 10c size; not over one dozen to a customer. **69c**

Absorbent Cotton, lb. Sterilized and aseptic cotton; not over 3 lbs. to a customer at 39c lb., three for $1.09 **39c**

Bath Tablets, Dozen 10c El Tovar and Castile and Jergens' Bath Tablets; a limited quantity only, therefore, not over three dozen to a customer; sold by the dozen only. **85c**

Palmolive Soap and a bottle of **Palmolive Shampoo,** today **49c**

Georgette Crepe Yd. $1.25

Fifteen different colors of an all-silk Georgette crepe, 40 inches wide, to offer at this wonderfully low price, Saturday, yard **$1.25**

Valenciennes

Insertions and edges to match; real French Vals., ½ to 1-in. wide, doz., **50c**

(Laces; Main Floor)

Chic Millinery at $10

A superb collection of trimmed hats—hardly any two of them alike, of course—in small, medium and large shapes; many of them exquisitely trimmed with flowers, ribbons, quills, wings, with Georgette facings; each one a delightful creation that will give a spring note to one's whole costume; special at **$10.00**

(Millinery; Third Floor)

Bargains in Women's Knitwear

Richelieu Union Suits—high or Dutch neck, elbow sleeves; low neck, no sleeves, ankle length—the well known union suit with light weight waist line and medium top and body; regular sizes, usually $1.25, today **$1.00**

Extra sizes, usually $1.50, today **$1.15**

Light weight, band top, knee length; a fine value at, regular sizes **50c**

Extra sizes **75c**

Band top Swiss ribbed, knee length union suits, sizes 4, 5 and 6 ..... **75c**

Richelieu Vests—Low neck, no sleeves, and knee or ankle tights; sizes 5 and 6; reg. 85c, **65c**

High neck, elbow sleeves, and knee or ankle tights, sizes 7, 8 and 9; reg. $1 ..... **75c**

Kayser Vests—Plain or crochet band; sizes 5 and 6; **35c each; three for** **$1.00**

Globe Tailored Union Suits—Light weight, high neck, long or elbow sleeves; low neck, elbow sleeves, ankle; size 4; were $1.50, **$1.25**

Sizes 7, 8 and 9; were $1.75 ..... **$1.50**

Merode Vests—Of medium cotton; high neck, long or elbow sleeves; Dutch neck, elbow sleeves; sizes 40, 42 and 44; reg. 85c **60c**

(Knitwear; Main Floor)

Ribbons at Half

We have gone through our stocks of fancy ribbons and picked out odd bolts and some short lengths that are ideal for bags, girdles, sashes or millinery trimmings; extra qualities and beautiful shades, all at ..... **HALF**

(Ribbons; Main Floor)

An Unusual Opportunity to Buy Pequot Goods in Small or Large Quantities

At special prices for a week or more.

Said one woman to another in the store the other day:

"I have used Pequot Sheets for years, and I always buy them at Coulter's, because they have **all sizes** always in stock.

"When I order extra long sheets, maybe three yards long, I can buy them at Coulter's for single, ¾ or double-bed size, and I can get them at once, without waiting.

"I know that if I buy them this week or next, I can save money, too, for there is a special sale now; I'm telling all my friends about it, because prices are getting higher all the while, instead of lower on these goods."

We do not quote detailed prices because there are so many of them, but you are welcome to compare Coulter prices on any size or grade.

(Domestics; Second Floor)

Men's $6.00 and $6.50 Silk Shirts $5

$7.50 shirts, special **$6.50**

$8.50 shirts special **$7.50**

$9.00 and $10.00 shirts **$8.50**

Men's Hose That Will Wear

Made with linen heel and toe; in black, tan, gray, Palm Beach shades; special for today, **six pairs for $1.40; twelve pairs $2.75.**

A Sale of Men's Neckwear

50c Ties 45c
75c Ties 65c
$1.00 Ties 85c
$2.00 Ties $1.75
$3.00 Ties $2.50

Fiber Hose 65c Pair

Fancy fiber in heavy and beautiful luster, various shades; today only, pair **65c**

(Men's Furnishings; Main Floor

Choice Silk Petticoats, Only $3.95

Select either from the solid colors, which we have in practically every shade, or from the two-tone changeable effects which are in harmony with any costume under which they may be worn; and from white wash silk, shadow-proof **$3.95**

Shetland Sweaters $6.95

Buttoned-down front styles or Tuxedos, sleeveless models, slipovers with or without sleeves; all the new spring colors in these, and certainly, as you see, all the spring models ... **$6.95**

(Third Floor)

Coulter's—Seventh Street at Olive *Seventh Street at Olive—Coulter's*

Business Page: Money, Stocks and Bonds—Grain—Mines—Financial Market Abroad.

Stocks and Bonds.

STOCKS, RESPONSIVE TO WAR NEWS, MAKE LEAP.

United States Steel Overtops All Other Wall Street Stocks.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—Stocks were even more responsive to the war news today, leaping forward 1 to 3 points in the very active first hour, but the movement lost much of its spontaneity later, many gains suffering material reduction on realizing for profits.

There was at this a pronounced accession of public interest and corresponding diminution of the short account, especially in popular war issues. Dealings exceeded in breadth any session since the inception of the German drive.

United States Steel again overtopped all other stocks, its irregular course on a very large turnover serving as a guide for other favorites. Steel's extreme advance of 1 1-2 finally dwindled to a small fraction.

Other strong active industrials and equipments included the independent steels, International Harvester, Baldwin Locomotive, American Locomotive, American Car Railway, Steel Springs showing temporary gains of 1 to 3 points.

Motors, oils, leathers, tobaccos, shippings and copper trailed along more moderately with unclassified issues.

In every noteworthy instance final prices were 1 to 2 points under maximums. Sales amounted to 525,000 shares.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Sales.	Stocks—	High.	Low.	Close—Bid.	Asked.
100	Alaska Juneau	1¼	1¼	1¼	....
100	Alaska Juneau, pfd	1¾	1¾	1¾	....
100	Atlantic C. L.	70	70	70	....
1,100	Atlantic Gulf	1.310	1.290	1.290	1.300
1,000	Allis Chalmers	25¾	24¾	24¾	....
	Do. pfd			77	....
	Am. Agr. Chem			90	....
	Do. pfd			97	....
1,400	Am. Can	39	38	39	....
	Am. Car & Fdy.	79¾	78¾	78¾	....
	Do. pfd			110	....
	Am. Cot. Oil	44¼	43¾	43¾	....
	Do. pfd			97	....
700	Am. Beet Sugar	73	72¾	72¾	....
	Do. pfd			90	....
400	Am. Cotton Oil	32½	31¾	32¾	....
	Do. pfd			85	....
	Sears-Roebuck			105	....
8,100	Am. Tel. Tel	26½	25	25½	....
	Am. Tobacco			112	....
1,200	Am. Ride & Leather	13¾	13¾	13¾	....
	Am. Ride & L. pfd			98	....
1,600	Am. Linseed	34½	33¾	33¾	....
	Do. pfd			87	....
14,400	Am. Smelting	95¾	93¾	94	....
	Do. pfd			97	....
	Am. Steel Fdry.	65	64¼	64¼	....
	Am. S. & R. Co	79	78¾	78¾	....
	Am. Sugar			104	....
2,000	Am. Sugar, pfd	104	103¼	103	....
	Am. Sugar, rct.			108	....
1,000	Am. Tob., pfd	97¼	96¾	97	....
	Am. Smelt. sec.			92	....
	Am. Smelt. pfd			90	....
	Am. Tel. Tel.	109½	107	109	....
	Am. Tob. Co.	167	167	168	....
	Am. Tob. pfd	95	95	96	....
	Am. Woolen			28	....
	Do. pfd	53¼	53¼	53½	....
	Anaconda			39¾	....
	Do. pfd			45	....
	Associated Oil				58
1,000	Atchison	68¾	68¼	68¾	....
1,400	A. T. & S. F.	84¾	84	83½	....
	Do. pfd			91	....
1,100	Balt. & Ohio	53¼	51¾	51¾	....
	Bar. G. old			51	....
	Bar. G. pfd.			88	....
	Bald. Loco.	58	57	57	....
	Bethlehem Steel			78	....
	Brooklyn R. T.	20¾	20	20	....
	Brooklyn U. G.	29¾	29	29	....
	Butte Coalition	10	9¾	9¾	....
	Cal. Petrol.	17¾	17¾	17¾	....
	Do. pfd			92	....
1,100	Can. Pacific	139¾	138¼	138	....
	Cent. Leather	69	67¾	68¼	....
	Do. pfd			102	....
	Central of N. J.			210	....
	Chandler Motors	85	82¾	83¾	....
	Chicago & Alton			8	....
	Do. pfd			12	....
1,200	Chile Copper	16¾	16¼	16	....
	C. & O. W.			71	....
	C. & O. W. pfd			18¾	....
	C. & N. W.			91	....
	C. M. & St. P.	23	22	22	....
	C. M. & St. P. pfd			39	....
	C. R. I. & P.	68¾	68	67¾	....
	C. R. I. & P. pfd			31½	....
	C. R. I. & P. rct.			74	....
	Colorado Fuel	19¾	19¼	19¼	....
	Colorado Southern	47¾	47¼	48¾	....
	Consolidated Gas	135	134¾	135	....
	Corn Products			41	....
	Crucible Steel	88¾	87	87	....
	Cuba Cane			8	....
	Cuba Cane, pfd			80	....
	Cuba Cane Sugar	25¾	25¼	25¼	....
	Cuba Cane Sug. pfd			89¾	....
	Cuba Tobacco			41	....
	Do. pfd			87	....
	Del. & Hud.	104½	104	104	....
	Dome Mines	8¾	8¼	8	....
	D. L. & W.			160	....
	D. & R. G.			31½	....
	D. & R. G. pfd			64	....
	Erie	14¾	14¼	14¼	....
	Erie, 1st pfd	28¾	28¼	28¼	....
	Erie, 2nd pfd	19¾	19¾	19	....
	Gen. Chem.			91¼	....
	Gen. Electric	142¾	141¾	142	....
	Gen. Motors	123¾	123¾	123¾	....
	Gen. Ref. pfd			79	....
	Goodrich, Rubber	44	43	43¾	....
	Do. pfd			96	....
	Great No. pfd	80½	80½	80½	....
	Greene Cananea	42¾	42¼	42¼	....
	Gulf States Steel	29¾	29¼	29¼	....
	Goodyear Tire	70	70	70	....
	Do. 1st pfd	96	96	96	....
	Do. 2nd pfd			90	....
	Hercules Min.	75		75	....
	Illinois Central	96½		96½	....
	Inspiration Cop.	48¾	47¾	48¾	....
	Int. Alcohol	127¼	125	126¾	....
	Do. pfd			97	....
	Int. Harv. com.	122	120	121¼	....
	Int. Harv. pfd			106½	....
	Int. Mer. Mar.	28¼	27¾	28¼	....
	Int. Mer. Mar. pfd			88¼	....
	Int. Paper	87	87	87	....
	Int. Paper, pfd			89	....
	Interstate Com.			7¼	....
	Do. pfd			23	....
	Jeffery Manufg.	45¼	41	41	....
	Kansas City So.	25¾	24¾	24¾	....
	Kennecott	32¾	32¼	32¼	....
	Kan. City So. pfd			48	....
	Kelly-Springfield	84¾	83¾	84¾	....
	Kelly-Springfield, pfd			97	....
	Lackawanna Steel			73	....
	Lehigh Valley			57	....
	Loose-Wiles			105	....
	Do. 1st pfd	82¾	82¼	82	....
	Pac. Tel. & Tel.			21	....
	Do. pfd			62	....
100	Pan-Am. pfd	91¾	91¾	90½	....
1,900	Penn. R. R.	45¾	45¾	45¾	....
200	People's Gas	43	43	43	....
900	Pittsburgh Coal	53¾	53¾	54	....
	Pitts. Steel			81	....
600	P. Steel Car	59	58¾	58¾	....
100	Do. pfd	95¾	95¾	95¾	....
	P. C. C. & St. L.			50	....
	Do. pfd			75	....
	Pond Creek			18¾	....
600	Pullman	117	115	115	....
2,800	Ray Cons.	24¾	24¾	24¾	....
1,800	Rep. Iron & Steel	85	83¾	83¾	....
	Do. pfd			96	....
13,400	Reading	81¾	80¾	80¾	....
	Do. 1st pfd			86½	....
	Do. 2nd pfd			85¾	....
11,900	Republic I. & S.	58¼	57¼	57¾	....
200	Do. pfd	98	98	97	....
500	Rock Island	19¾	19¾	19¾	....
400	Do. 1st pfd	32¾	32¾	32	....
100	Do. 2nd pfd	50	50	50	....
300	Royal Dutch			77	....
300	Ry. Steel Spring	13¾	13¾	14	....
500	Rumely pfd	31	30½	30	....
200	Seaboard A. L.			9	....
300	Do. pfd	15¾	15¼	15¾	....
	Sears-Roebuck			115	....
	Do. pfd			110	....
1,000	Sinclair Oil	29¾	28¾	28¾	....
	Shattuck Copper			16	....
1,200	Sloss S. & S.	56¾	56¼	56¼	....
	Do. pfd			87	....
100	So. Pac.			97	....
	So. Ry.			25	....
	Do. pfd			59	....
	Stand. Milling			90	....
	Stand. Oil			360	....
	Stromberg Carb.			50	....
	Studebaker	46¾	46¼	46¼	....
	Do. pfd			90	....
	Tenn. Copper	18¾	18¼	18	....
	Texas Co.	148¾	147	149	....
	Texas Pac.			12	....
6,200	Tobacco Prod.	55¾	54¾	54¾	....
	Do. pfd			86½	....
	Union Bag & P.			97	....
	Do. pfd			103½	....
	Union Pacific	124¼	119¾	119¾	....
	Do. pfd	90	91	91	....
2,900	Utah Copper	80¾	79¾	79¾	....
100	Utah Securities			123	....
1,500	U. Cigar Stores	99¾	89¾	97¾	....
	U. Cigar S. pfd			102	....
	United Fruit			121	....
	U. Ry. Inv.			5	....
	Do. pfd			11	....
800	U. S. I. Pipe	14¼	14	13¾	....
100	U. S. Rubber	42¾	42¾	43	....
	U. S. Express			14	....
800	U. S. Ind. Alco.	16¼	15	15¾	....
4,000	U. S. Rubber	56¾	54¾	54¾	....
200	Do. 1st pfd	104	103¾	103¾	....
114,100	U. S. Steel	95¾	93¾	94¾	....
300	Do. pfd	110¾	110¾	110¾	....
400	U. S. Smelting	38¾	38¾	38¾	....
	Do. pfd			49	....
400	Va.-Car. Chem.	43	42¾	42¾	....
100	Do. pfd	104	104	102	....
	Va. Coal & Coke			68	....
	Wabash			6	....
200	Do. pfd	40½	40	40	....
100	Do. pfd "B"	22¾	22¾	22	....
	Wells-Farco Ex.			71	....
400	Western Maryland	34¼	33¾	33¾	....
1,100	Westinghouse	41	40¾	40¾	....
	Do. pfd			68	....
1,400	Western Union	75¼	74¾	74¾	....
	West. Md. pfd			25	....
	W. & L. E.			8	....
	Do. 1st pfd			45	....
100	White Motors	42	42	42	....
1,400	Willys Overland	17¾	17¾	17¾	....
300	Do. pfd	50	50	50	....
500	Wilson Co.	55¼	55	55	....
	Wis. Central			34	....
	Woolworth			112	....
	Woolworth, pfd.			112	....
22,500	Beth. Steel "B"	80¼	79	79¾	....
	Do. pfd 8a			41	....
	Kelly-Spring			73	....
	Do. pfd			73	....

*ex-dividend.

CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.
Industrials—		
Air Reduction	70	75
Aetna Exp.	8¾	8½
Chevrolet	120	125
Curtis Aero.	31	32
Holly	32	40
Do. pfd.	88	93
Lake Tor.	2¾	3
Maxim	7-16	9-16
Sub. Boat	12	13
United M.	25¾	26
U. S. Steam-		
ship	5¼	5½
Wright-M.	8¾	8½
Oils—		
Barnsd	9-16	¾
Boston Wyo	2¾	3
Caskin	6	7
Elk Basin	6¾	7
Fed. Oil	2¾	3
Glenrock	8¾	9¼
Island	2¾	3
Merritt Oil	19¾	19¾
M. W. Ref.	107½	109
Midwest O.	94	96
Do. pfd.	1 1-16	1¼
Nat. Fuel	62	63
O. F. & B.	6¾	6¾
Okmulgee	7¾	8
Pan. Pipe	8¼	8½
Big Ledge	13-16	¾
Sequoyah	13-16	15-16
Butte N. Y.	¾	1
Cal. & J.	1¾	1 3-16
Caledonia	31	32
Can. Cop.	1¾	2
Cons. Ariz.	1¾	2
Cons. Cop.	4¾	5¾
Emma Cop.	3-16	¼
G. Monster	11-16	¾
Hecla	4 11-16	4 13-16
Howe S.	4	4½
Iron Blos.	⅝	¾
J. Verde	⅝	11-16
Kerr Lake	5¾	5¾
Mason Val.	5¼	5
Motherlode,		
old	.29	.30
Do. new	3½	3¾
Nipissing	8¼	8¾
Ohio Cop.	13-16	15-16
Ray Herc.	⅝	¾
Stewart	3-16	¼
Scratch G.	¼	⅜
Success	⅞	.10
Tono. Ex.	1¾	1⅞
U. V. Ex.	37	39
Yerrington	5	7

*—Ex-dividend.

NEW YORK OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by A. H. Crary & Co., No. 119 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.
Anglo	12	13
At. Ref.	.920	940
Borne S.	.425	450
Buckeye	94	95
Cabough	.315	325
Colonial	10	40
Continental	.440	460
Crescent	31	35
Cum'land	.140	145
Eureka	185	190
Galena	132	137
Do. pfd.	124	129
Ill. Pipe	183	188
Ind. Pipe	180	185
Nat. Tran.	13¼	14¼
N. Y. Tran.	195	205
N. Pipe	105	108
Ohio Oil	328	333
Prairie Oil	8¾	9¼
Prairie P.	260	265
Solar Ref.	290	300
S. Pipe	185	190
S. P. Oil	270	280
S. W. P.	92	97
S. Oil Cal.	217	222
S. Oil Ind.	630	640
S. Oil Kan.	430	450
S. Oil Ky.	320	325
S. Oil Neb.	475	500
S. Oil N. Y.	260	265
S. Oil N. Y.	265	270
S. Oil Ohio	400	415
Swan & P.	95	100
Union T.	94	97
Vacuum	340	345
Washton	28	32

New York Cotton Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 119 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—Following is range of quotations today:

Cotton—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close—Bid.	Asked.
January	28.03	27.66	26.54	26.64	26.97
March				26.64	....
May	27.40	28.84	26.20	26.13	26.77
July	27.60	28.50	27.79	28.05	28.28
August				28.19	....
October	27.16	27.68	26.60	27.39	27.67
December	26.82	27.23	26.50	27.07	27.09

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, April 19, 1918.

Bank clearings yesterday were $5,035,087.94, an increase of $440,510.65, as compared with corresponding day last year.

	1918.	1917.	1916.
Monday	$5,126,243.41	$5,238,138.49	$4,660,435.75
Tuesday	5,176,443.38	5,279,118.14	4,624,704.40
Wed'day	5,238,726.81	5,707,978.61	4,857,883.68
Thursday	5,051,582.23	4,826,574.26	4,001,754.39
Friday	5,035,087.94	4,594,577.29	4,133,819.54

OIL LIST SHOWS AN AWAKENING.

DECISIONS ACTUAL AND PENDING IN WASHINGTON INCREASE INTEREST.

Important legislation, coupled with decisions in the United States District Court and at Washington on California oil lands, is likely to start something in the oil list one of these days. Certain small oil companies which have wells on the lands in dispute and have been operating at a disadvantage and under restrictions pending the government's disposal of the lands withdrawn are beginning to see daylight ahead. In the event of the government's granting satisfactory leases, which seems now to be a practical certainty within a very short time, several of these companies are in shape to increase their output at once, having the necessary capital equipment on hand.

The Union Oil Company and several other large companies yesterday won their fight with the government for the possession of 2400 acres of valuable oil lands to which the Interior Department was trying to obtain control. This addition to the enormous assets of the Union is likely to increase the demand for the stock, especially at the price at which it is now selling, which is said to be a low figure. The effect was noticeable yesterday, the oil list claiming the major portion of the day's trading, with Union in very good demand. National Pacific Oil made a gain of a half point, opening at 3 7-8 and selling up to 4 3-8. United Oil sold at 12¼, and Mt. Diablo at 1.20.

The Oatman list is still weak and inactive. United Eastern made a partial recovery yesterday, selling up to 4.25, but slid back again at the close of the afternoon session to 4.12½ bid, with 4.30 asked.

Interest in the Liberty Loan continues to eclipse trading on the local exchange, a great many of the members giving most of their attention to selling the bonds.

LOCAL CLOSING.

[Following were the closing prices and sales, as posted yesterday at the Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman Building.]

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Citizens' National Bank	$250.00	$280.00
Commercial National	....	270.00
Farmers & Merchants' Nat.	200.00	220.00
First National	300.00	320.00
Guaranty Tr. & Sav.	228.00	255.00
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	....	125.00
Hibernian Savings Bank	150.00	....
Kaspare Cohn C. & S. Bank	122.50	....
Merchants' National	....	198.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	345.00	355.00
U. S. National Bank	155.50	....

BOND LIST.

(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co. 1st Reg.	98¾	100¼
Associated Oil Co. 1st Ref.	96½	97¼
California Delta Farms	99¾	101
Home Telephone Co.	....	91
Home Tel. Co. 1st Reg.	90	91
L. A. Pacific 1st Con. Mtge.	81¾	84
L. A. & Pasadena Elec. Ry.	80	....
L. A. Public Market Co.	98	100
L. A. Railway Co.	82	....
L. A. R. R. Corp. Coupon	....	98
Mission Trans. & R. Co.	93	100
Mt. Lowe Railway	....	80
Pacific Gas & Elec. California	70	72
Pacific Electric Ry. Co.	72	75
Pacific Light & Power Co.	87	92
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co.	87	95
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co.	82	92
Prod. Transportation Co.	95	100
Union Oil Co.	50¾	50¾
Union Transportation Co.	90	98
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	75	90

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Delta Farms	....	$ 62.00
California Hospital	....	60.00
Consolidated Realty Co.	$ 62.50	70.00
Eldorado State Co. pfd.	.94	.95
Eldorado State Co. com.	.20½	....
Exposition Realty Bond	5.00	21.00
L. A. Investment Co.	.25	.28
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	125.00	....
Pacific Mutual Life Ins. Co.	450.00	510.00
S. Joaquin L. & P. Corp. pfd	70.00	....
S. Joaquin Registered	....	5.00
So. Cal. Edison pfd.	96.00	....
So. Cal. Edison com.	83.00	84.00
Sun Brae Coupon	.45	....
Title I. & Tr. Co.	150.00	200.00
Union Sugar Co.	38.00	38.50

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 47.00	$ 52.50
Associated Oil	84.00	86.00
Brookshire Oil	.26	27½
Central	.75	.80
Columbia	....	1.00
Continental Oil	.06¾	....
Enos Oil Co.	.03½	....
Fullerton Oil	2.25	3.25
General Petroleum com.	90.00	....
Globe	.02½	.03
Jade Oil Co.	.06¾	.07¾
Mascot Oil Co.	1.40	....
Midway Northern	.16	....
Mt. Diablo O. M. & D. Co.	1.20	....
National Pacific Oil Co.	.04¾	.04¾
New Pennsyl. Pet. Co.	.17½	....
Ohio Land Co. (Ohio)	.20½	.25
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	1.32½	....
Trader's Oil Co.	.50	....
Union	102.25	102.50
United Oil Co.	.12½	....
West Coast Oil pfd.	....	99.00
Western Union	90.00	....
White Star Oil Co.	.03	....

MINING LIST.

Oatman District—	Bid.	Asked.
Adams Mining Co.	$ .01¾	$ .02
Arizona Tom Reed	....	.05
Argo Mines	.06¼	.07
Boundary Cone	.01	.02¼
Gold Dust	.08	.10
Gold Ore Mining Co.	.34	.40
Gold Road Bonanza	.04	.04¾
Lucky Boy	.01¾	....
Nellie Mining	.04¼	....
Sunnyside Mining	.04	.04¼
Tom Reed	1.94½	1.99
Tri-State Eastern	4.12½	4.30
United Northern	.01¾	.01¾
Other Districts—		
Bona Gold Mining	.50	.54
Hecla Mining Co.	4.62¼	4.87½
Jerome Portland	....	.20¼
Keystone Mutual	.15	....
Oro Amigo	.08	.12
Richmond M. & M.	.70	.85
Yellow Pine	1.10	....

SALES.

Morning session: 1000 Lucky Boy at .02; 8 $50 Liberty Bonds 1st 3½s at 98½; 6 $100 do. at 98¾; 4 $500 do. at 98¾; 4 $1000 do. at 98¾; 8 $50 Liberty Bonds 2nd 4s at 96; 10 $100 do. at 96; 8 $50 Liberty Bonds Conv. 4s at 96; 1 $100 do. at 96; 2000 Mt. Diablo at 1.20; 1000 National Pacific Oil at .03¾; 1000 do. at .04¾; 4000 Sunnyside Mining at .04; 100 Tom Reed at 1.97; $50 United Eastern at 4.25; 100 do. at 4.20; 1 Union Oil at 102.75; 67 do. at 102.50; 8 $1000 Union Oil bonds at 99½.

Informal: 1000 Richmond Copper Co. at .50; 400 Tom Reed at 1.97.

Afternoon session: 500 L. A. Investment at .29½; 100 do. at .26; 1200 do. at .25; 6 $100 Liberty Bonds 1st 3½s at 98½; 6 $100 Liberty Bonds 2nd 4s at 96; 1 $50 do. at 96; 2 $100 Liberty Bonds Conv. 4s at 96; 1000 National Pacific Oil at 04¾; 4000 do. at 04¾; 2000 Sunnyside Mining at .04; 100 Tom Reed at 1.98½; 500 do. at 1.99; 7 Union at 102.50; 1000 United Oil at 12¾.

Informal: 1000 Richmond Copper Co. at .50; 800 Tom Reed at 1.96.

CLOSING PRICES ON CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 19.—Closing prices on the Chicago Stock Exchange:

	Close.
American Shipbuilding	113¼
American Shipbuilding pfd.	85½
Booth Fisheries	22¼
Chicago City & Connecting Railways	....
Chicago Pneumatic Tool	68
Commonwealth Edison	108
Deere & Co. pfd.	96
Lindsay Light	21
Mid-West Utility pfd.	78
Montgomery, Ward & Co. pfd.	100
Public Service	75
Sears-Roebuck	114
Stewart-Warner	49
Swift & Co.	140
Union Carbide & C.	77
United Paper Board	20
United Paper Board pfd.	60¼
Wilson & Co.	55¼
Wilson & Co. pfd.	86

LISTED NEW YORK BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Stephens & Co., second floor Merchants' National Bank Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, April 19.—Following are closing quotations on bonds today:

	Close.
Adams Express C. T. 4s, 1948	....
Alaska Conv. Deb. 6s A, 1925	19½
American Agr. Chemical Deb. 5s, 1924	92
American Foreign Securities 5s, 1919	60
American Tel. Col. 4s, 1929	80¼
American Tel. Col. 5s, W. I., 1946	92¼
American W. Paper 5s, 1919	94
Anglo-French 5s, 1920	90¾
Armour 4½s, 1939	84
Atchison General 4s, 1995	80¾
Atchison Adj. 4s, stamped, 1995	73½
Atlantic Coast Line 4s, 1952	82½
Baltimore & Ohio P. L. 3½s, 1925	85¾
Baltimore & Ohio Ref. 6s, 1995	82¾
Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4½s, 1933	85
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3½s, 1925	81
Bethlehem Steel Ref. 5s, 1942	91
Braden Cp. 1931	91½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 5s, 1945	80
California Gas Unifying 5s, 1937	86¾
Canada Southern 5s, 1962	90
Canadian 5s, 1921	94¾
Canadian 5s, 1929	90
Canadian 5s, 1931	90¼
Central of Georgia Conv. 5s, 1945	85¾
Central Leather Ass. 5s, 1925	95
Central Pacific Ctf. 4s, 1949	78
Chesapeake & Ohio Conv. 5s, 1946	79¾
Chesapeake & Ohio Conv. 5s, 1930	95¾
C. B. & Q. 4s, Ill. Div., 1949	85
C. B. & Q. Joint 4s, 1921	92¾
Chicago Great Western 4s, 1959	74¾
C. M. & St. P. Conv. 5s B, 2014	79
C. M. & St. P. Conv. 4½s, 2014	79
C. M. & St. P. 4s, 1925	79
C. M. & St. P. Deb. 4s, 1934	81
Chicago & Northwestern Gen. 4s, 1987	80½
Chicago Railway 5s, 1927	85
C. R. I. & P. Ref. 4s, 1934	64
C. R. I. & P. Coll. 4s, 1953	61
C. St. P., M. & O. Deb. 5s, 1930	86¼
Chile Copper 7s, 1923	103¾
Illinois Railway 5s, 1951	58
City of Paris 6s, 1921	84½
Colorado Fuel & Iron Gen. 5s, 1943	75¾
Colorado Industrial 5s, 1934	75¾
Colorado Southern Ref. Ex. 4½s, 1935	70¾
Colorado Southern 4s, 1929	69¾
Consolidated Gas Conv. Deb. 6s, 1920	98
Corn Products 5s, 1931	90¾
Cumberland Tel. 1937	91
Delaware & Hudson Conv. 5s, 1935	85¼
Denver & Rio Grande Ref. 5s, 1955	49
Denver & Rio Grande Conv. 4s, 1936	62
Detroit Gas 5s, 1923	85¾
Distillers' Securities 5s, 1927	85¾
Erie Prior Lien 4s, 1996	57
Erie General Lien 4s, 1996	52¾
Erie Conv. 4s A, 1953	44½
Erie Conv. 4s B, 1953	44
Erie Conv. 4s D, 1953	47¾
Erie-Pennsylvania C. T. 4s, 1951	77½
General Electric Deb. 5s, 1952	95¾
Great Northern 4½s, 1961	90¾
Granby 6s, 1928	95
Illinois Central Joint 5s, 1963	85¾
Illinois Central Ref. 4s, 1955	80
Illinois Steel Deb. 4½s, 1940	82¾
Indiana Steel 5s, 1952	95
Int. Metropolitan 4½s, 1956	62¾
Int. Rapid Transit Ref. 5s, 1966	81
Int. Marine S. F. 6s, 1941	90
Int. Paper Conv. 5s, 1935	77
Kansas City Southern 5s, 1950	76¾
Lackawanna Steel 5s, 1950	80¾
Lackawanna Steel 5s, 1950	80¾
Laclede 5s, 1919	97¾
L. & N. & M. & M. Deb. 4s, 1931	87
Liggett & Myers 7s, 1944	111¾
Liggett & Myers 5s, 1951	91¾
Lorillard 7s, 1944	112¾
Lorillard 5s, 1951	92
Louisville & Nashville Unifying 4s, 1940	80¾
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 4s, 1990	60¾
Missouri Pacific Ref. 5s, W. I., 1923	87
Missouri Pacific Ref. 5s, W. I., 1926	87
Missouri Pacific Gen. 4s, W. I., 1975	57¾
Montana Power 5s A, 1943	88¾
New York Central Conv. 6s, 1935	100
Mexican Petroleum 6s C, 1921	105
New York Central Ref. Imp. 4½s, 2013	81¾
New York Central 4s, 1934	74¾
New York Central Conv. 4s, 1998	72¾
New York Central Conv. Deb. 6s, 1935	84¾
N. Y. N. H. & H. Conv. 6s, 1948	84¾
Niagara Power 5s, 1932	96¾
New Orleans, Texas & Mexico 1st 6s, 1925	82¾
Norfolk Con. 4s, 1996	70¾
Northern Pacific P. L. 4s, 1997	70¾
Northern Pacific Gen. 3s, 2047	56¾
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...BUTTER—Creamery extras, Produce Exchange ...ing price, 39 per lb.; price to retail mer... in 1-lb. squares, 39½ to 40½ per lb.; ...to retail merchants in 1-lb. cartons, 40 to ...

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Patriotic.

BAKERS TO AID WHEAT SAVING.

Merritt to Address Southland Bread Makers Today.

"Nation First, Business Next," will be Slogan.

Drive for Increased Use of Potatoes Planned.

What is expected of the leading bakers of Southern California, and what they can do to assist the national government in the saving of wheat flour will be told this afternoon when 480 members of the Southern California Bakers' Association will meet in Blanchard Hall and listen to Ralph P. Merritt, State Food Administrator, tell what has already been accomplished and what they can do to further assist in the saving of wheat.

According to W. F. Ireland, secretary of the association, who has recently completed a tour of all towns in Southern California, all of the bakers are vitally interested in the campaign for a reduction of wheat flour in the manufacture of bakery products and they have adopted the following slogan, "Southern California United to Win the War. Nation First; Business Second."

"In all probability there will soon be a 50 per cent. wheat bread in all stores in this State," he said. "At a recent meeting of the National Association of Bakers in Chicago, the organization hired a number of specialists to experiment in the baking of bread and to ascertain lowest amount of wheat flour possible to use. These recipes will soon be sent broadcast over the country."

ZONE SYSTEM.

Frank H. Suffel, county license commissioner of the Food Administration, said yesterday that the wheat zone system was already in effect.

"Basing the estimate on a population of 600,000, this will mean that Los Angeles will be allowed 2,600,000 pounds of wheat flour and wheat products each month," Mr. Suffel said. "The National Food Administration will keep a check on the amount of wheat used each month in each zone and all that has been saved will be taken over by the government and sent to England and France with a statement of where it came from. It is believed this will make an incentive to save wheat flour. I believe that Los Angeles will be patriotic enough to save nearly 1,000,000 pounds from its allotment. After this survey and inventory of the flour stock in the country is completed, all localities which show a large excess of the six pounds per person will have to give up their surplus and send it to other places where there is a shortage. If all zones have enough then the amount which is over will be commandeered by the government and sent immediately to Europe."

G. Harold Powell, chief of the Division of Perishable Foodstuffs under Herbert Hoover and general manager of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, will address an open meeting of the members of his organization and the public in Blanchard Hall this morning at 10 o'clock.

POTATO DRIVE.

A potato drive, to stimulate the use of potatoes in place of wheat products, has been organized by Mrs. J. T. Anderson.

"I must ask you as a woman director of the Federal Food Conservation of Los Angeles to send a definite message over your territory and call upon the entire community to positively make this potato drive the foremost activity at this time."

This message was sent from the office of the State Food Administrator in San Francisco and Mrs. Clara B. Burdette, State chairman of Woman's Work in Food Conservation for California.

In conjunction with this notice, notices are being issued to all women's organizations and precinct organizations to actively consider this call.

HERE ARE FAIR FOOD PRICES.

Quotations Show What You Should Pay Today for Things to Eat.

The following official quotations on foodstuffs, fixed by the Los Angeles Fair Price Committee of the Food Administration as neither a minimum nor a maximum, but as constituting a fair price for the commodities named, are now in effect:

Potatoes—Fancy Highlands, 100 pounds, wholesale, $1.75-$1.90; retail, 2-2½ cents per pound; fancy locals, 100 pounds, wholesale, $1.15-$1.25; retail, 1½-1¾ cents per pound; fancy Idaho, wholesale, $1.50-$1.60; retail, 2-2½ cents per pound.

Onions—Fancy Browns, 100 pounds, wholesale, $1.40-$1.50; retail, 2 cents per pound.

Flour—First, family, 24½ pounds wholesale, $1.40; retail, $1.55.

Corn meal—10 pounds, yellow, wholesale, 60 cents; retail, 70 cents; white, wholesale, 65 cents; retail, 76 cents.

Sugar—Granulated, 100-pound sack, wholesale, $7.65; retail, 5 pounds, 43 cents.

Bread, 24-ounce, wholesale, 12 cents; retail, 14 cents; 16 ounces, wholesale, 8 cents; retail, 10 cents.

Butter—Creamery, extra, 1-pound carton, wholesale, 40-41 cents; retail, 45-46 cents.

Oleomargarine—Best grades, per pound, wholesale, 32-33½ cents; retail, 35-37 cents.

Eggs—Extra selected, dozen, wholesale, 42-43 cents; retail, 45-48 cents; selected, dozen, wholesale, 41-42 cents; retail, 44-46 cents.

FINED BY GOVERNMENT.

John Dye, a colored man who had pleaded guilty to having liquor in his possession on the military reservation at Fort MacArthur, was fined $100 by Federal Judge Trippet yesterday. Dye is a tailor, and has seen nine years of that sort of work about a military camp with the Tenth Cavalry. Assistant United States Attorney Moody intimated that a job had been put up on Dye, by another man who wanted his shop on the reservation.

Charter Change.

WARD SYSTEM'S AGAIN FAVORED

Change is Urged by District Representation League.

All Councilmen Now Live in Central Part of City.

Fix Boundaries so Incumbents may Make Another Try.

That there is a concerted move for a return of the ward system of electing Councilmen developed yesterday, when the District Representation League filed a communication with the Council requesting it to submit an amendment to the charter at the November election, providing for the creation of fifteen councilmanic districts. The proposition was referred to the Committee of the Whole, which will discuss it the 30th inst.

The league also presented a map of the city designating the boundaries of the tentative districts, in which an attempt is made to proportion the districts upon the basis of population.

Attorney Gesner Williams and Frank Purcell appeared before the Council to advocate the cause of the league, but made no plea for it when the members announced they would take it up at a meeting of the Committee of the Whole.

It is understood that practically all of the Councilmen pledged their support to the proposed amendment when they were candidates. In fact, it is asserted, they received the support of the District Representation League because of their promises to assist in the district plan.

Under the present system, all of the Councilmen are elected at large. As a result a majority of the members live in the central part of the city, the outlying districts having no representation in the city's legislative body.

If the proposed amendment is carried the harbor territory will have a Councilman who hails from that district. The same will obtain in the San Fernando Valley district and others.

To prevent, it appears, bitter opposition from the Council, the league proposed that the districts be so bounded that each of the incumbents may be a candidate in a separate and distinct district. In other words, it was assumed by the league that the members would object to submitting the amendment unless it were made possible for them to be candidates and not oppose each other.

The principal argument advanced by the league in asking the Council to place the question on the ballot is that it will save the taxpayers interested in the movement the expense of circulating an initiative petition, and may obviate also the calling of an expensive special election to decide the question.

The league did not say whether or not it would propose a reduction in the salaries to be paid the Councilmen, but it is assumed that this plan will be presented. The salary of the present Councilmen is $200 per month, and it is said to be more than probable that the stipend will be fixed at $150.

BRITONS LIKE OUR FLAG.

Form Over Half of Day's Naturalization Figures in this City.

Of the forty-two certificates of naturalization granted yesterday by Judge Trippet, twenty-four were to subjects of Great Britain, indicating a general desire on the part of that portion of our Allies to be under the American flag.

Six were Italians, two were Swedes, four Russians, and one each from Switzerland, Denmark, Holland, Greece, Norway and France. No German aliens tried to apply.

SCION OF WEALTH IS AGAIN BEFORE COURT.

OIL MAGNATE'S SON IS GIVEN TERM IN THE COUNTY JAIL FOR THEFT.

Automobile insurance companies that attempt to recover money paid on damaged or lost machines through criminal court action were criticised by Superior Judge Willis yesterday.

When William E. Adcox, 19 years old, was released on probation on a charge of driving the $1100 automobile of W. M. Waterman without the consent of the owner, automobile insurance agents made an effort to have Adcox pay the cost of certain damages to the car amounting to about $400. Judge Willis yesterday turned down the proposition coldly.

"The insurance companies are paid premiums for assuming these risks on automobiles," he said. "They must stand the loss." Adcox was given sixty days in the County Jail for being implicated in the theft of the same automobile on February 7.

Adcox told the court he was a victim of circumstances. He met Kirk Morgan, known as the "millionaire kid of Oklahoma," who has a record of having stolen 198 automobiles throughout the United States, and, believing Morgan to have plenty of money, he rather liked to be seen in his company, he said.

Morgan followed Adcox into court and was promptly sent to San Quentin for from one to ten years after confessing to the theft on December 11 of an $1800 automobile belonging to R. W. Howbert of No. 4823 Elmwood drive.

Morgan is the 18-year-old son of a millionaire oil magnate of Ardmore, Okla. He was the acknowledged leader of a gang of youthful bandits in Southern California, to which Adcox and half a dozen others belonged. The gang was finally broken up with the arrest of the leaders by John Powell of the Southern California Auto Theft Bureau.

INCORPORATIONS.

The Avawatz Consolidated Mines, incorporators, E. E. McInture, Ingle Carpenter, Fred B. Close and Otroen B. W. McCausland. Capital stock, $1,000,000; subscribed, $500.

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GERMAN BODIES TAKE NEW NAME

Plan to "Disband" Declared Blocked by Bylaws.

Will Keep Funds Instead of Giving to Red Cross.

"We're Americans, but not Jubilant," Says Socha.

The German-American Alliance of California and the German-American Alliance of Los Angeles went out of existence in name only last night, as a result of a vote taken by nearly a hundred delegates composing the alliance, at a meeting in Turner Hall.

Carl Entenmann, treasurer of the Red Cross Bazaar Committee of the alliance, announced that it had been proposed to disband the local alliance, in line with that of the national alliance, and possibly form a new organization, but at a meeting of the executive officials before the general meeting last night, it was found that the bylaws did not permit this. So, the official announcement continued, it was agreed to change the name of the local alliance to the Federated Societies of Los Angeles and of the State body to the Federated Societies of California. The societies remain the same, the name is minus the word "German."

WHAT SOCHA SAID.

Max Socha, president of the Los Angeles and the State Alliance, presided and made an address in English, announcing that on account of the conditions which had arisen it was felt best to drop the name German-American Alliance. He defended the Americanism of the local alliance, and said that he never approved of the term German-American.

"We are either Germans or Americans," said Mr. Socha. "We can't be both. We are all Americans now. We are going to drop the hyphen.

"It is hard for some of us. We have relatives on both sides. You can't expect us to stand on the street corner and cheer. The German nature is phlegmatic. You cannot expect us to be jubilant.

"We have been maligned. We have been called spies. This alliance has never taken any part in propaganda. We are not disloyal. We are not bomb plotters. We have been blamed for bomb plots and fires which have been caused by the I.W.W."

WILL KEEP MONEY.

Carl Entenmann, treasurer of the Red Cross Bazaar Committee of the alliance, said last night before the meeting:

"I was quoted correctly in The Times this morning (Thursday) as to our intention to disband. We have been expecting word all day from the national offices of the alliance in Philadelphia. We had supposed, as I told The Times last night, that of course we should follow in line with the national body and dissolve or disband, and then possibly form a new organization to carry on our work. We find that we cannot do this under our bylaws, but we can change our name. The money in our treasury which I suggested might go to the Red Cross, where the $30,000 fund of the national organization is to go, we have decided to keep in our treasury for the relief of our needy members."

To this Socha added this statement:

"We have no connection with the alliance now. We stopped paying dues about a year ago, I think. It is true we sent the proceeds of our German Red Cross bazaar to Ambassador Bernstorff and he turned them over to Dr. Dernburg, but that was all right. Dr. Dernburg was the official agent of the German Red Cross in America."

This was brought out by the statement made on the witness stand at the hearing before the Senate committee into the affairs of the national alliance, by J. Taks of Baltimore, treasurer of the alliance, that more than $800,000, raised by bazaars supposedly to be sent to the German Red Cross, was turned over to Dr. Dernburg, who was expelled from this country at the request of President Wilson for his activities in propaganda work, in which he spent huge sums.

Socha said that the receipts of the Red Cross entertainment held by the alliance last Saturday and Sunday night will reach nearly $3000.

PARADE TO SHOW WHAT KINDNESS DOES.

"ANIMALS' WEEK" WILL END TODAY WITH PROCESSION THROUGH STREETS.

"Kindness to Animals' Week" will end, this afternoon, when the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will show the work of the organization, which has relieved over 1500 animals and investigated over 2000 cases during the past year, by a parade, which will occupy a space of twelve blocks, forming at Hill and Seventeenth streets, at 12:30 p.m., moving east to Broadway, north to First street, east to Spring street, south to Tenth street, where it will disband.

Seventy-five handsome riding horses will be featured, some of them being trick animals, which will perform along the route; Selig Zoo will loan their camels; Pilot, the veteran fire horse, and two other of the old pensioned fire horses, which have served the city of Los Angeles for twenty-seven years, will join the parade and receive the honors of a life well spent; a pack of Siberian huskies, drawing a sledge filled with dog friends, will be another feature; while a large this occasion by their kindly ownnumber of work horses, loaned for ers, will show the public what good care and treatment will do for animals.

Citizens who have automobiles are urged to join the parade and bring their pets to silently plead for help for the new "Jack London Animal Home," which is now being established by the S.P.C.A. near East Avenue 57 for the relief of small animals.

TRIAL OF ALLEGED DRAFT PLOTTERS SET.

The date for the hearing of the charge against Ben Livingston, charged with conspiring with his father, Nathan Livingston, his mother, Matilda Livingston, and his brother, Robert Livingston, to make a false affidavit to allow Robert to escape the draft, was set by Federal Judge Trippet yesterday for June 11.

There are a number of witnesses to be heard on behalf of the government, several coming from San Francisco. Almost a week will be required to try the case.

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Airmen Trying to Disorganize Our Men are Downed by Skilled Gunnery.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE April 20.—Twelve hundred German storm troops, the largest number ever concentrated against the American troops in an offensive operation, were hurled against the American positions on a one mile front west of Renneres Forest, northwest of Toul today, after a terrific bombardment of gas and high explosive shells.

The enemy succeeded in penetrating the front line trenches and taking the village of Seicheprey, but after furious hand-to-hand fighting, which was resumed on at nightfall, the American troops recaptured the village and most of the ground lost in the early fighting.

No Americans were taken prisoner, but three Germans were captured.

DOWN HUN PLANES.

The Germans have made a strong attack against the American

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THE DAY'S NEWS

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 6 a.m. southwest; velocity, nine miles. Barometer, highest, 85 deg.; lowest, 46 deg. Forecast: Sunday fair; moderate westerly winds. For complete weather report see last page of this section.

THE CITY. United States Commissioner D. M. Hammack died, presumably by electrocution, while changing a light bulb in the bathroom of his home.

Southern California, outside of Los Angeles, has reached its minimum Liberty Loan quota, it was officially announced. This city still has some distance to go.

A summary of conditions after three weeks without saloons indicates that Los Angeles, on the whole, is better off for the Gandier order.

A sensational crisis was precipitated in the affairs of the Half Century Association by a series of charges and counter-charges.

Lieutenant Dockweiler, returned from Washington, said that this city's improvements in shipbuilding are highly appreciated by the government.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Democrats to announce decision regarding candidacy for Congress at meeting. Bible class at Presbyterian church in Pasadena today.

Redlands' big pageant held in the municipal Amphitheater draws crowd of more than 5000 from surrounding districts.

Sheriff at El Centro unable to find clews to identity of six men who kidnaped union agitator and deported him from that city Friday evening.

Ousted City Tax Collector at Venice asserts he will bring about the recall of Trustees who ousted him; new official takes over the office.

Five sedition suspects are held at Long Beach following their arrest by agents of the American Protective League.

GENERAL EASTERN. Arizona gives rousing welcome to Chairman Hays of Republican National Committee. Hays I.W.W.'s and sympathizers.

Favorable war news puts punch in stocks. Unfavorable weather reports stiffen corn. Cotton recovers on New York exchange.

WASHINGTON. House passes $7,000,000,000 appropriation bill. Calls for $3,000,000,000 to meet immediate requirements.

Secretary Baker to appear before Senate Military Committee next Monday on bill to increase draft limit from 31 to 40. Men who

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